

The Hondo Anvil Herald.

NO TOWN EVER GREW
on Trade That Went
Elsewhere.
Are you a town builder?

VOL. 56. No. 46

HONDO, MEDINA COUNTY, TEXAS, MAY 22, 1942.

WATCH THE ADDRESS
on your paper and let us
have
Your Prompt Renewal

THE ANVIL, EST'D 1886
THE HERALD, 1891
CONSOLIDATED
OCT. 17, 1903.

Here in Hondo
LOCAL AND PERSONAL



Ask your neighbor to subscribe for
his home paper.

Fritz Senne was a business caller
at this office Wednesday.

W. F. Tampke was a business caller
at this office Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Saathoff were
Herald visitors yesterday.

Fruits and candies of all kinds, at
CARLE'S CONFECTIONERY.

We can order most any newspaper
or magazine published. Ask at this
office.

FOR SALE—2 corner lots, West
of ice plant, \$900.00. See Hondo
Land Co.

New Auto Registration—May 18,
Medina Evelyn Hambleton, Hondo,
Pontiac sedan.

Mrs. E. J. Wiemers of Yancey had
her tonsils removed May 15th at Me-
dina Hospital.

Mrs. Geo. Lindsey of Devine un-
derwent a tonsilectomy on May 14
at Medina Hospital.

FOR SALE—One Hereford bull, 2
years old. Price \$125.00. REUS
BROS., Hondo, Texas.

FOR SALE—Good milk cow with
young heifer calf; also two feeder
pigs. Inquire this office.

For Screw Worm Medicine, formula-
tion 42, and other kinds, see WIN-
DROW DRUG STORE.

C. H. Potter, employed at the new
air field, entered Medina Hospital on
May 20th for medical treatment.

We will pay you 60¢ per hundred
for good metal and paper strut gar-
ment hangers. V. HORACE CROW.

Boy Bryant, air field worker, en-
tered Medina Hospital on May 18th
for several days' medical treatment.

GOOD CLEANING DOESN'T
COST—IT PAYS—PHONE 125—
V. HORACE CROW—MODEL
CLEANERS.

FOR SALE—Registered and grad-
ed Hereford bulls, various ages and
various prices. If interested see E.
M. TAYLOR, Hondo.

"Pink-Eye Powder", Stribling's;
if it does not cure your animal your
money will be refunded. See it at
WINDROW DRUG STORE.

Fine Clothes make a Good Im-
pression. Have yours cleaned and
pressed at BLUE BONNET CLEAN-
ERS, Chester Heyen, prop., Hondo.

Effective Tuesday, May 19, The
Hoy Theatre is now showing a matinee
every day at 2:30 P. M., and
will continue to do so until further
notice.

Picked up on Quilby-Devine road, a
1942 Commercial license plate. Own-
er can recover same by identifying
property at this office and paying
for this notice.

FOR SALE—17 ft. House Trailer,
wood trim and finish, price \$500.
Half cash and take over contract for
balance. Address MRS. M. C.
LOVETT, Helotes, Texas.

Chas. L. Muenink of the Yancey
Star Route was a business caller at
this office Wednesday. Mr. Muen-
ink says, barring hot winds or some
other disaster, his section will pro-
duce some corn with the rains of this
week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed G. Haby of Dun-
woody were pleasant visitors at this of-
fice Saturday. They were accom-
panied by one of their three grand-
sons, Harvey Haby. Mr. and Mrs.
Haby are parents of three sons and
they have three grandsons.

Mrs. Lydia Haass Newsome, sister
of our fellow townsman, Adolph
and Charles F. Haass, arrived this
week from California on a visit to
them and to other relatives in this
section. She and Mrs. Adolph Haass
were visitors at this office yester-
day.

Louis Britsch was a business caller
at this office yesterday. Mr. Britsch
is looking forward to the early re-
turn of his daughter, Mrs. W. N.
Britsch and her family from Trinidad
British West Indies, where Mr. Bur-
sch is employed by a large oil com-
pany.

Wesley de Grodt and wife were
visitors from the ranch Wednesday and
paid our office a business call. Mr.
de Grodt reports a nice rain through-
out his section on the upper Verde
river, owing to the lateness of
the crop, more rain will be needed to
produce grain.

The Hondo Lions Club met Wed-
nesday and had as a guest Mr. Rob-
ert Morgan of Weslaco, Texas. The
club accepted a challenge to a soft
ball game by the Medina Valley
Lions. The game, to be played here
on Hondo on June 3rd, will have all
players attired in women's clothes.

HONDO HIGH SCHOOL TO GRAD- UATE THIRTY-SEVEN SENIORS

Commencement week for thirty-seven seniors of Hondo High School will begin Sunday, May 24, with Baccalaureate services and will close Friday night, May 29, with the graduation exercises. The members of the Senior class are Frances Bendele, Dorothy Marie Graff, Stella Grell, John H. Graff, Alma Nester, Pat O'Neill, Frances Ruth Rucker, Linda Bell Saathoff, Claude Schuehle, Clyde Schuehle, Geraldine Stiegler, Mary Sue Walters, Hershell Wheeler, Dorothy Woolls, E. J. Williams, Clinton Britsch, Robert Cosgrove, C. C. Dawson, Joe Embrey, G. H. Finger, Henry Martin Finger, Kenneth Flory, Douglas Fuos, Lucy C. Gilham, Lloyd Huesser, Homer Leinweber, Benny Mitchell, Paul Oefinger, Adabell Pichot, Guido Schweers, Melvin Wendland, Maurice Zerr, Theresa Ziegenbalg, Elene Schlentz, Elton Lindeburg, Laura Lee Leinweber and Clinton Hartung.

Baccalaureate services will be held at 5 p. m. Sunday afternoon, May 24, at the Hondo High School auditorium. The program will be as follows:

Processional.

Invocation—Rev. R. F. Davis, Pas-
tor of the Hondo Methodist Church.

Anthem—Glee Club.

Scripture Reading—Rev. W. B.
Wheeler, Pastor of the New Foun-
tain Methodist Church.

Trio, "My Task"—Misses Rose
Marie Finger, Colleen O'Neill and
Anna Lee Rucker.

Sermon—Mr. Wm. F. Kraushaar,
President of Texas Lutheran College.

Anthem—Glee Club.

Benediction—Rev. I. V. Garrison,
Pastor of the Hondo Baptist Church.

Recessional.

The program for the Commence-
ment exercises has not been com-
pleted at this time but will be announced
in next Friday's issue of this paper.

NEW PASTOR FOR ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

Since the departure of Rev. Paul Czerkus for Burton, Texas, last Oc-
tober, St. Paul's Lutheran Church of
Hondo has been without a pastor
with only occasional services in the
church conducted by visiting preachers.
Rev. M. J. Lorfing, pastor of
St. John's Lutheran Church of Jour-
danton has accepted a call to serve
the Hondo pastorate and he and his
family will arrive here in June. The
following regarding Rev. Lorfing, is
taken from last week's issue of the
Atascosa County Monitor:

"Rev. M. J. Lorfing, pastor of St.
John's Lutheran Church of Atascosa
County at Jourdanton, was released
by his church last Sunday, effective
with June 14, in order that he might
accept the pastorage of the Lutheran
church at Hondo.

"Rev. Lorfing was serving his fifth
year here, having come to this church
in 1937. Under his pastorage, the
church has increased in many ways
and is now a full-time self-supporting
church.

"The leaving of Rev. Lorfing and
his family—Mrs. Lorfing, Dorothy,
Delores Emmanuel, Theophil and
Michael—will be sorely felt by this
community. Honored and respected
citizens, they took an active interest
in the entire community, holding re-
sponsible positions in school and civic
activities.

Rev. Lorfing will hold his first
service in St. Paul's Lutheran church
on Sunday, June 21st.

FUTURE FARMER NEWS

The Hondo F.F.A. Chapter held a
regular meeting Wednesday, May 13,
1942, in the Agricultural Department
building with President Marcellus Garrison
in charge.

The roll call showed 25 members
present including all the new offi-
cers.

The first order of the day was to
elect an F.F.A. sweetheart. Rosie
Finger was chosen to represent the
F.F.A. Chapter for the coming year.

The F.F.A. annual summer trip
was discussed but no definite plans
were made due to the shortage of
tires.

It was also planned that all offi-
cers attend the F.F.A. Officers
Training School to be held at Utopia
on July 9-10.

A motion was then made and passed
that the meeting adjourn until the
next regular meeting or until a
special meeting is called.

BARBECUE DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Saathoff en-
tertained a number of relatives and
friends with a barbecue dinner at
their home last Sunday, honoring
Miss Margie Lou Gerdes on her sev-
enth birthday anniversary. The af-
ternoon was passed in playing games
such as pinning the tail on the don-
key, ring tossing, pin ball, etc., for
which prizes were awarded.

Those enjoying the day were: Mr.
and Mrs. Henry Schweers, Mr. and
Mrs. Herman Gerdes, Mr. and Mrs.
Arthur Schulte, Mr. and Mrs. Anton
Balzen, Mr. Paul Oefinger, Mary
Bel, Archie Ray and Margie Lou
Gerdes, Fay Del and Luren Schweers,
William Ray and Lonnie Marie
Schulte, Annie Hohenberger, Willie
Jean and Emilie Marie Saathoff, and
Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Saathoff.

FOR SALE—Sweet pepper and
eggplant plants. MRS. C. F.
HAASS, Hondo.

Hondo City Government In Operation

OFFICIALS SWORN IN MAY 14th; MAYOR ISSUES
FIRST PROCLAMATION.

CITY OF HONDO COUNCIL HAS TWO MEETINGS

Since the election of the officials
of the newly incorporated City of
Hondo on May 12, two meetings of
the City Council have been held. The
first, on Thursday night, May 21, at
the office of Mayor John A. Horger,
was for the purpose of acquainting
themselves with the duties of their
respective offices. The second ses-
sion, Monday night, May 18th, at the
same place, was with the Board of
Directors of the Chamber of Com-
merce.

At the first meeting, Mayor Horger,
and Aldermen R. J. Reilly, Chas.
J. Monkhouse, W. L. Windrow and
W. J. Nester were sworn in by Frank
X. Vance as a Notary Public. Mr.
Vance remained at the meeting in an
advisory capacity and was later asked
to serve temporarily as Secretary
until the Council is further organiz-
ed.

Marvin A. Thomas, a represen-
tative of Russ & Co. bond house of
San Antonio, and Frank Drought, en-
gineer of San Antonio, proposed a
plan for issuing revenue bonds to fi-
nance a sewer and fresh water plant
for the new city. The matter was
put under consideration by the
Council.

Alderman Monkhouse made a mo-
tion to enact an ordinance authoriz-
ing James R. Duncan, County Tax
Assessor and Collector of Medina
County, to act as tax assessor and
collector for the City of Hondo. The
motion was seconded by Alderman
Reilly, and on unanimous vote was
adopted. Under such authority the
Tax Assessor and Collector is to have
property within the city assessed at
the same value as it is assessed for
County and State purposes, as pro-
vided under Article No. 7359 of the
Revised Civil Statutes of Texas,
1925. He will assess and collect for
the city and turn the collections over
to a City Depository, and as his fee
he is to receive one per cent of taxes
so collected.

At the second meeting of the City
Council, Alderman George R. Carle
and City Marshal John Martin were
duly sworn in for their respective
offices. On the motion of Alderman
Nester, seconded by Alderman Win-
drow, it was unanimously voted to
require the Tax Assessor and the
City Marshal to each make a surety
company bond in the amount of
\$1,000.00.

Specially invited guests attending
the meeting, in addition to the Di-
rectors of the Chamber of Commerce,
were Sheriff Chas. J. Schuehle, City
Marshal John Martin, and County
Tax Assessor and Collector, James
R. Duncan. Mayor Horger invited a
discussion by the Council and the
guests present on problems of pol-
icing the City of Hondo, as well as
other traffic hazards and problems.

President R. L. Kollman of the
Chamber of Commerce briefly out-
lined and explained the action taken
by the Hondo Chamber of Commerce
previous to the incorporation of Hon-
do in reference to the matter of
sewerage disposal in Hondo. After
some discussion Mayor Horger and
others were delegated to contact the
Army Engineer in charge of the con-
struction of the Navigation Training
School and try and secure a promise

A MESSAGE FROM YOUR MAYOR

Naturally, I feel honored by being
your choice of the first mayor of the
city of Hondo, but the office is not
a coveted one as it has grave respon-
sibilities. I feel grateful at your se-
lecting such able aldermen to assist
me in organizing and getting started
with your city government. The City
Council, composed of the five alder-
men and myself, are confronted with
some problems that need immediate
attention and we assure you that we
are going to do our best in attempt-
ing to solve them.

Some of these more pressing prob-
lems are: (1) Sewerage sanitation
comes first in importance as the fu-
ture health of the residents of the
city are at stake; (2) Traffic prob-
lems could be a much greater task
than it actually is but for the willing-
ness of the people to do the right
thing and the Sheriff's department
stepping in and assisting; and (3)
Fire hazards have increased due to
the over-night growth of the popula-
tion and crowded living conditions.
The City government is attempting
to go ahead with the work already
started by the Chamber of Com-
merce in securing a sewerage dis-
posal system, and with a city govern-
ment it is possible now to make bind-
ing agreements and get the job done.
It will be necessary to enact city or-
dinances with a view of keeping al-
leys open, keep a safe opening in
front of fire plugs, speed regulation
and regulation of parking. The peo-
ple of Hondo have one of the most
efficient volunteer fire fighting out-
fits in the country that has been in
operation for many years under the
very able leadership of L. A. Mech-
ler.

The City government has no money
to handle the many needed services
of the residents, such as garbage dis-
posal, street maintenance, street
cleaning, etc. Some enterprising in-
dividual with a truck should be able
to get an income by contacting the
merchants and homes and making
arrangements of contracting for the
regular hauling away of the trash.

After all, the City of Hondo is
your town as well as the City Coun-
cil's, so take a pride in the way it
looks. Clean up your own premises,
plant flowers, and in every way make
the city a place we can all be proud
of. The City Council asks that you
be patient with us, try and under-
stand our problems, and above all
assist us because we need it. We
are holding offices, the duties of
which we know very little, try and
realize that the City of Hondo has
just come into existence, with no
finances to do anything with.

Very sincerely,
JOHN A. HORGER,
Mayor.

that if and when a sewerage system
was constructed in the City of Hon-
do that it may tie on to the Army
disposal system.

An audience has been secured for
Saturday in San Antonio with the
Army Engineer, and Mayor Horger,
Secretary Vance and President Koll-
man will be present, as will also En-
gineer Montgomery of Austin.

The Council adjourned until a la-
ter date.

LARGEST GROUP MEDINA COUNTY SELECTEES IN MAY CALL

The largest group of Medina
County men to be called under the
Selective Service Act since it went
into effect in 1940 will report to
Fort Sam Houston on Monday, May
25th, for induction into the Army.
Of the group, Enrique Maldonado
of Hondo is an underage volunteer,
John Clement Redus Jr. and Edwin
Jake Bohl of Devine, have already
enlisted. The others called are as
follows:

Ernest John Kroeger, LaCoste;
Rudy Ortiz, Devine; Alton Edgar
Stein, Cliff; George Weldon Ilse,
D'Hanis; Alex Marlin Haby, Mico;
Jesus Barrientes, Hondo; Chester
Floyd Heyen, Hondo; Faustino San-
ches, Hondo; Gerardo Nino Castro,
Natalia; Ramon Valle, Devine; Ma-
teo Ramirez, Devine; Milton Frank
Salzman, LaCoste; Steve Medina
Sanchez, Devine; Robert Lawrence
Brucks, Hondo; Cecil Columbus
Gantt, Devine; Clarence Earnest
Wiemers, Yancey, and Angel Cam-
pos, Devine.

Also reporting for induction will
be the following transferees: Encar-
nacio Trinidad, Sandusky, Mich.;
Francisco B. Davalos, Jr., Buckeye,
Arizona; Roy Elmer Turner, Colo-
rado Springs, Colo.; Eusebio Chacon,
Carriazo, New Mexico; and Robert
Lee Stanley, Corpus Christi, Texas.

Last week Leslie Bain of Devine
and Daniel John Mangold of Castro-
ville enlisted. Bain joined the Air
Corps and Mangold enlisted in the
U. S. Army.

DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COM- MITTEE MEETS

In answer to the call of County
Chairman Jordan T. Lawler, of Cas-
troville, Texas, members of the Ex-
ecutive Committee and other inter-
ested parties met at the Court House
at Hondo, Monday, May 18, at 3:30
P. M.

The call had been issued to pro-
vide for the holding of the July Pri-
maries and setting assessment fees
for the Medina County candidates.
The Committee set five dollars as
the assessment for the county offi-
cers, one dollar for Justices of the
peace and constables, and other of-
ficers.

The law provides that all applica-
tions for placing names on the De-
mocratic Primary ticket must be filed
with the Democratic County Chair-
man on or before June 13th.

These present pledged to help and
assist the chairman in the holding of
the Primaries, that the voters of Me-
dina County may exercise the right
of suffrage, in the selection of their
public servants.

The meeting adjourned subject to
the call of the chairman.

WEDS IN SAN ANTONIO

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Reynolds of
Hondo announce the marriage of
their daughter, Elizabeth, to Ray
William Marr of San Antonio, at
6:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon, May
17, 1942, in the rectory of St. Mary's
Church, San Antonio. Attendants
were Miss Geraldine Lamm and the
bride's brother, Robert Reynolds, of
Galveston. Rev. John Quinlivan of-
ficiated.

The bride wore a beige suit with
British tan accessories, and a cor-
sage of Tullipian roses.

Among those present at the cere-
mony were Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Rey-
nolds, the bride's parents, and Mrs.
Craig Daub and Miss Susie Muen-
ink of Hondo.

Mrs. Marr is a graduate of Hondo
High School and of San Antonio
Business College. At present she is
employed as a defense worker at
Duncan Field. The bridegroom is
the son of William W. Marr of Pitts-
burg, Texas. He is a graduate of
Pittsburg High School and is now a
Sergeant at Brooks Field.

THE METHODIST CHURCH

10:00 A. M. Church School.
Classes for all ages.

11:00 A. M. Morning sermon,
"Awakening Time", by the Pastor.
8:45 P. M. Evening service. Sub-
ject to be announced.

A cordial welcome to all. We ap-
preciate the new people who have
been attending our services. Come
again.

R. F. DAVIS,
Pastor.

Rev. R. F. Davis delivered the
address to the graduating class at
Yancey Thursday evening.

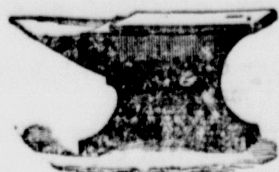
QUIHI NOTES

Announcements: For May 24,
Pentecost Day, German service at
New Fountain at 11 A. M., confes-
sional service and Holy Communion.
For May 31, Trinity Sunday, Eng-
lish service at 11 A. M., confes-
sional at 10:45; administration of the
Lord's Supper; Sunday school and
Bible class at 10 A. M.

"Come unto Me, when shadows
darkly gather, when the sad heart is
weary and distressed."

—C. W.

R. W. (Sonny) Gaines Jr. was
here from San Antonio Wednesday
saying goodbye to his grandparents,
Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Gaines, and other
relatives and friends, before leav-
ing for Panama on a defense job.



SPARKS

Being News, Views and Reviews
by the
Managing Editor

THE LOW DOWN FROM HICKORY GROVE

This idea of rationing has a lot of
folks upset. Scuffling around with
the truth so as to get a sugar card
is annoying. They are in the same
boat with the nice old lady who was
horrified with the idea that some-
thing good could be said even for the
devil. "You gotta admit," said the
new minister, "that keeping busy and
on the job is a good trait. You know
the devil don't loaf," he said.

"Alright," says Henry, "what has
that to do with rationing?" "Well,"
I says, "if rationing of cloth will get
rid of the sissy pleats in men's pants,
it is saying something good for it.
And furthermore," I says, "if we all
cooperate maybe we can put some
pressure on mama and the girls and
slow 'em up before they grab every-
thing—pleats or no pleats—and we
go back to kilts."

"With the horse and buggy com-
ing back on account of no tires, and
runaways again in prospect, is an-
other reason, too," I says, "for co-
operating with the Government and
maybe doing something about ra-
tioning mama a less scary regalia,
before a lot of folks get run over or
killed."

Yours with the low down,
JOE SERRA.



A summary of the past week's war
events reviewed by The National
Editorial Association Defense Ad-
visory Committee in cooperation with
the Office of Government Relations.

FOR RELEASE MAY 19, 1942

The White House reported the na-
tion's vast cargo ship construction
program is on schedule and "the
American people can be assured that
the shipyards will do the job assign-
ed to them." The statement said
shipyards delivered 120 new vessels
in the first 130 days of this year, 20
percent more than were built in all
of 1941, and the production peak
has not yet been reached.

American shipyards are building
merchant vessels faster than ever be-
fore in the history of the world, the
White House said. Cargo ships are
being built in less than one-half the
time originally allotted. "The prog-
ress made thus far is easing our ship-
ping problem, but there will be a
shortage of ships until sinkings
throughout the world are brought
under better control and the ship-
building gets into full production,"
the statement said.

Army-Navy War Review

A joint Army-Navy communique
reviewed the progress of the war to
date. The communique said that
during a period of preparation for
offensive action, a "number of suc-
cessful thrusts" at the Japanese had
worked a "lasting effect upon the
strategic situation." Among such
strokes it listed the naval raids on
the Gilbert and Marshall Islands,
Wake Island, Marcus Island, and the
bombing of Japan itself. It included
also the destruction of Japanese
ships in the battle of the Coral Sea
and Macassar Straits, the accom-
plishments of American submarines
in the Far Pacific and the numerous
raids by American planes based on
Australia.

The joint communique also report-
ed that during the first three weeks
of the war, about 600,000 American
troops moved to battle stations,
many of them overseas. Unified
command is now in effect in every
theatre of war. The defense of the
Philippines, the communique said,
"demonstrated the comparative
weakness of the Japanese as an in-
dividual fighter," a factor which
"alone forebodes disaster for the
enemy Japanese in the future when
the battle is met on terms of ap-
proaching equality."

Cost of Living

The Office of Price Administra-
(Continued on last page)

The Nation's No. 1 Life Insurance Policy

BY INVESTING
TEN PERCENT OF YOUR
INCOME, YOU PROTECT YOUR
LIFE, THE LIVES OF YOUR FAMILY,
YOUR HOME, AND YOUR FUTURE...
AND, LATER, GET ALL YOUR
MONEY BACK...WITH
INTEREST!

U.S. WAR BONDS

Courtesy Detroit Free Press

Local & Personal

If You Read Magazines See our club Offers elsewhere In this paper And let us have your order.

ARMSTRONG'S LINOLEUM. LEINWEBER'S.

All kinds of drinks, at CARLE'S CONFECTIONERY.

See our Club offers before ordering your magazines.

For paint that stays put see the HONDO LUMBER CO.

First Aid Kits for Home Defense, 49c and \$1.85 at WINDROW DRUG STORE.

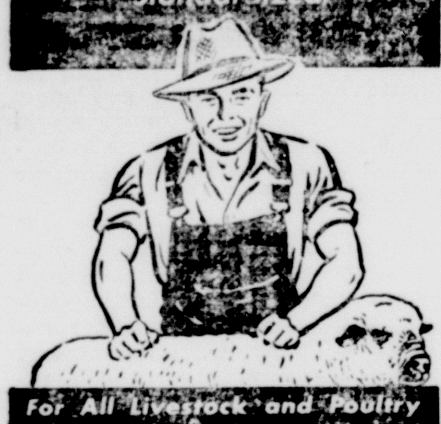
OASIS CAFE, REGULAR MEALS AND SHORT ORDERS SERVED AT ALL HOURS.

FOR SALE—Business lot 35 ft. front, near courthouse. \$1000.00. See Hondo Land Co.

FOR SALE—Female English bulldog, A. K. C. registered; priced right for immediate sale. E. E. KOLLMAN Hondo.

WINDROW DRUG NEWS

PARKE-DAVIS
KRESO DIP
Standardized



The DIP and DISINFECTANT
used by thrifty
Farmers and Stockmen

Be sure! Save! Get the sheep ticks, mites, lice and external parasites with Kreso Dip. Protect by spraying and cleaning barns and houses. Kreso Dip is a recognized "stand-by"—economical, easy to use.

There is only one KRESO DIP
—A famous Parke-Davis Product.

WINDROW DRUG STORE

Since 1898 Phone 124

Light Housekeeping room wanted. Call 127. Ask for Bledsoe.

Get your building material from the HONDO LUMBER CO.

FOR SALE—1 1/4 acres land with five-room, breakfast-nook and bath cottage—also front porch and service porch—all in good condition. \$2650.00 cash or \$3150.00 if sold on time. \$1650.00 cash and balance in five years; \$25.00 monthly payments at 6%. See the Hondo Land Company—Fletcher and Roberta O. Davis, Anvil Herald office, or phone 127.

Mrs. David Bolner and daughter, Katherine, and sons, V. D. and Clarence, of Del Rio visited her sisters, Mrs. Mary Cook and Mrs. Cecilia Bendele for a few hours Friday. They were enroute to San Antonio to attend the graduation of their daughter and sister, Miss Mary Ann Bolner, from Santa Rosa School of Nursing Monday night.

Rev. and Mrs. I. V. Garrison, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Z. Windrow, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Crow, Mrs. H. H. Crow, Mrs. Nora Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. James R. Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reilly, Miss Glenna Reilly, and Miss Frances Ruth Rucker were among those who attended the Baptist convention in San Antonio during the week.

John Russell Crouch of Houston and Mrs. Otis Schuehle and little daughter, Mary Lee, of Corpus Christi arrived Wednesday for a visit with their mother, Mrs. Ione Crouch. They were accompanied by Mrs. Walter Knorr who is spending several days with her parents, Judge and Mrs. H. E. Haass.

Robert Reynolds arrived Friday from Temple, Texas, and after spending the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Reynolds, left Sunday night for Galveston where he is now in the U. S. Coast Guard. For seven years Robert has been a member of the Highway Patrol, stationed at Temple.

FISHING SEASON NOW OPEN. WE HAVE A COMPLETE LINE OF FISHING TACKLE—RODS, REELS, LINES, BAITS, MINNOW SEINES AND BUCKETS, TACKLE BOXES, AND NUMEROUS OTHER ACCESSORIES. WESTERN AUTO ASSOCIATE STORE, HONDO.

Mrs. W. C. Allen of Harlingen spent Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Taylor, and other relatives. Mrs. Allen, the former Dolly Taylor, and Lieut. Allen will leave soon for his new station in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bailey and little daughter, Maryann, of Laredo left Tuesday for their home after spending several days here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Nestor.

YOU WILL FIND A PLENTIFUL SUPPLY AND INTERESTING DISPLAY OF ANY LURE, LINE, ROD OR REEL HERE. WESTERN AUTO ASSOCIATE STORE, HONDO.

FOR SALE—Lots in all parts of Hondo, \$75.00 to \$350.00. See Hondo Land Co.—Fletcher and Roberta O. Davis, Managers, at Hondo Anvil Herald office.

YOU CAN STILL BUILD, REPAIR AND REMODEL. ASK US WHAT AND HOW. ALAMO LUMBER COMPANY, HONDO, PHONE 112.

OASIS CAFE, REGULAR MEALS AND SHORT ORDERS SERVED AT ALL HOURS.

We can order most any newspaper or magazine published. Ask at this office.

LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING room wanted. Call 127. Ask for Bledsoe.

Get your building material from the HONDO LUMBER CO.

HONDO OWLS TO BIG MEET

Despite the fact that Clinton Hartung, ace pitcher, has been graduated early and shipped off to the Minneapolis Millers, who wired for him, the Hondo High School Owls have a good chance to win the State High School Baseball Championship in the tournament at Dallas Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The Owls, accompanied by Coach J. G. Barry, left Wednesday in the school bus for Dallas and the tourney in which they finished runners-up last year.

Undeafened by any team in their class hereabouts, the Owls polished up for Dallas by walloping the New Braunfels High Unicorns and the New Braunfels town team, the Millers, in New Braunfels Friday. With Bud Groff allowing one hit in six innings and Stanley Hollmig yielding none in the last three, the Unicorns were blanked, 7-0. Hollmig allowed two runs in the first three innings and Joe Embrey two in the ninth and the Millers were trimmed, 9-4, thanks to seven hits and seven runs in the seventh inning.

Pairings, announced May 18, by Director P. C. Cobb of the State Schoolboy Baseball Tournament, are as follows:

Thursday—2:30 p. m., Poly (Fort Worth) vs. Hondo, Rebel Field; 7 p. m., Carthage vs. Whitharral, Reverchon Park; 7 p. m., Adamson vs. Whitney, Rebel Field; 9 p. m., Mesquite vs. Austin, Reverchon Park.

Friday—2:30 p. m., Poly-Hondo loser vs. Carthage-Whitharral loser, Rebel Field; 7 p. m., Adamson-Whitney loser vs. Mesquite-Austin loser, Reverchon Park; 7 p. m., Adamson-Whitney winner vs. Mesquite-Austin winner, Rebel Field; 9 p. m., Poly-Hondo winner vs. Carthage-Whitharral winner, Reverchon Park.

Saturday—2:30 p. m., consolation final, Rebel Field; 7 p. m., championship final, Rebel Field.

MRS. ALBERT SAATHOFF DEAD

Mrs. Albert Saathoff of Hondo died at 8:30 A. M. Wednesday, May 20, 1942, at the local hospital, following a serious operation performed several days earlier. The deceased, nee Helen Leinweber, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. August Leinweber, was born March 23, 1897, in Medina County, and was, therefore, 45 years one month and 27 days of age at the time of her passing.

Survivors are her husband, Albert Saathoff; five children, Arnold, Edgar, Elma, Albert Jr. and Floyd Saathoff; one grandchild, six sisters, Mrs. Chas. Nienhoefer, Mrs. Lee Hardt, Mrs. Alfred Schlentz, Mrs. Chris. Nienhoefer, Mrs. Ed Moehring, and Mrs. Walter Saathoff; and four brothers, Emil, Henry, Louis and August Leinweber.

The funeral was held at 4:00 o'clock Thursday afternoon, May 21 from the Horgor funeral home with Rev. C. Weeber of the Quibi Lutheran Church officiating. Interment was made in Oakwood cemetery in Hondo.

A sketch in memory of this good wife and mother will be published in next week's paper.

NEED CLERKS

San Antonio, May 20.—The Federal Bureau of Investigation has need for clerks for assignment at the seat of government in Washington, D. C. Applicants for these positions must be high school graduates and have attained the age of eighteen and must possess basic qualifications for assignment to indexing, filing and similar clerical duties. It is not necessary that they possess either stenographic or typing ability. Women are entirely competent to fill these positions. Male applicants must be capable of performing arduous physical exertion while female applicants must be capable of performing moderate physical exertion. Eyesight must be good and corrected to normal if glasses are worn. The salary is in grade CAF 2, \$1440 per annum.

For further information write to Special Agent in Charge, M. W. Acers, FBI, U. S. Dept. of Justice, P. O. Box 1630, San Antonio, Texas.

NOTICE, THEATRE PATRONS

Effective Tuesday, May 19, it is our policy to show a matinee every day, starting at 2:30 P. M., and will continue to do so until further notice.

THE RAYE THEATRE.

LAAKE BARBER SHOP
We Use Soft Water
Shop is Air Conditioned
COME HERE NEXT TIME



GOVERNOR ENDORSES

Hon. Gus Reiminger, for many years manager of the Texas League for Equal and Uniform Taxation was a Hondo visitor Wednesday in the interest of his work for economy and equality in the management of State affairs. It is gratifying to Mr. Reiminger and the cause for which he stands to have the following endorsement:

Executive Department
Austin, Texas,
April 23, 1942.

Coke Stevenson, Governor.
Hon. Gus Reiminger, Manager,
Texas League for Equal and Uniform Taxation,
New Braunfels, Texas.

Dear Mr. Reiminger:
I have just received your letter of April 20th together with the testimonial by numerous prominent and substantial taxpayers of Texas.

I have, of course, known of your work for years. I know how you have fought for economy in all governmental expenditures. The subject of taxation is too long to cover in a letter but I will be glad to have a discussion with you at some time when we both can find the opportunity. I think I am as much against waste and extravagance as you are and that should afford a basis for profitable discussion.

With kindest regards, I remain,
Sincerely your friend,
Coke R. Stevenson.

COLORED SCHOOL CLOSING

Beginning with a Baccalaureate service at their West End Baptist Church at 3:30 p. m., Sunday, the colored school will have a series of entertainments and programs throughout the week.

Achievement Night, consisting of a literary program followed by a Bon-Fire and Song-Fest, is scheduled for Tuesday night.

The graduating exercises will be held at the School Auditorium at 8:00 o'clock Thursday night. On this occasion, the Principal, Prof. L. C. Davis, will be the speaker and present a certificate of graduation to the school graduate, Melvin Lewis Ford. Ella Flora Ford, Melba Dale Ford and Juanita Ligon will be promoted to the 5th grade.

Text books will be checked in on Friday morning, May 29th and then vacation.

The program as arranged shows a commendable interest in education on the part of Hondo colored citizens.

FOR SALE

Soda Fountain, 16 ft. marble-onyx counter, combination Frigidaire unit salt and ice—10syrup pumps, 4 draft arms, 4 crushed jars, 5 hole frigidaire unit, Century Carbonator. This fountain is several years old. Will sell on easy terms, must be made safe, Bankable Note, no encumbrance assumed. Will sell or trade for clear City or acreage property worth the money, no farm wanted. \$500. ARTHUR HALBERT, North Uvalde, Texas.

TO ROYAL ARCH MASONS:

There will be a regular meeting of Hondo Chapter No. 350, R. A. M., Monday night, May 25, 1942, at 8 p. m. Election of officers and other business of importance will be transacted.

Your presence is requested.
H. E. HAASS,
Secretary.

Trusses and abdominal belts at WINDROW DRUG STORE.

NOTICE TO TRADE

Under General Order ODT No. 6 from the office of Defense Transportation—

EFFECTIVE MAY 15th, We are required by law to:

1. Make only ONE DELIVERY to one customer in any one business day, unless the delivery is too heavy for any one piece of equipment to handle at one time.
2. Make no special deliveries except to hospitals and the armed forces of the United States, and except emergency deliveries of supplies necessary for the protection of public health, life and safety.
3. Make no deliveries outside a 15 mile radius of our place of business.

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1st NEXT, we will be required:

To reduce our total delivery mileage by at least 25% each month as compared with the corresponding month in 1941, and for this reason, on and after the effective date, deliveries must be in accordance with the three requirements set forth above, and in ADDITION:

1. We will not make any deliveries on orders of less than \$10.00 outside the corporate limits of the town in which we operate.

WE ASK THE COOPERATION OF OUR CUSTOMERS TOWARD HELPING US COMPLY WITH THIS GOVERNMENT ORDER.

Alamo Lumber Co.
PHONE 112

GOLD SEAL CONGOLEUM

OASIS CAFE, REGULAR MEALS AND SHORT ORDERS SERVED AT ALL HOURS.

Fitch Dandruff Remover Shampoo 75c size for 59c at WINDROW DRUG STORE.

Homer Rothe of the Immigration Service at Del Rio spent four days this week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Rothe.

FOR SALE—Pair of big, gentle work mules, \$165.00; also young unbroken mule and a good work mare. ALLEN TILLOTSON.

See me for your needs in custom grinding and mixing. I buy your corn, oats, hogs, maize; pay top prices. EARL WATSON.

CHICKEN VACCINE for roup, colds, and mixed infections. Also Poultry tonic for better egg production, at WINDROW DRUG STORE.

Miss Mary Louise Haegelin of Our Lady of the Lake College, San Antonio, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Haegelin.

YOU CAN STILL BUILD, REPAIR AND REMODEL. ASK US WHAT AND HOW. ALAMO LUMBER COMPANY, HONDO, PHONE 112.

Cpl. Hugh Meyer left Wednesday to return to Fort Sam Houston after three days' furlough spent with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Meyer.

Staff Sgt. Lester Saathoff of Fort Sam Houston spent the week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Saathoff, and other relatives and friends.

Georgia Hulsey, last address Waco, Texas, 204 South Fifth St., please get in touch with me at Gen. Delivery, Hondo, Texas. ARTHUR HULSEY.

Miss Fay Iris Carter, who graduated from Santa Rosa School of Nursing Monday night, spent Wednesday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Carter.

Mrs. Anna Stanard from Pomona, California, arrived last Wednesday on a visit to Mrs. Mary Grunewald and family. Mrs. Grunewald is on the indisposed list with the mumps this week.

H. E. HAASS, Attorney-at-Law, Surveyor's Office, Courthouse, Hondo, Texas. All legal matters carefully attended to, in all courts of Texas. Manager Medina County Abstract Company.

Mr. Geo. H. Kimmey, Commodity Foreman at the Commodity House in Hondo, has resigned that position and Monday took over his new duties as bookkeeper at the Allen Tillotson Garage.

Arthur and Albert Lacy, on two weeks' vacation from Texas A. and M. College, are spending the time with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lacy, in San Antonio and with friends in Hondo.

Miss Joyce Garrison, who attends Howard Payne College at Brownwood, spent the week here with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. I. V. Garrison, and also attended the Baptist Convention in San Antonio.

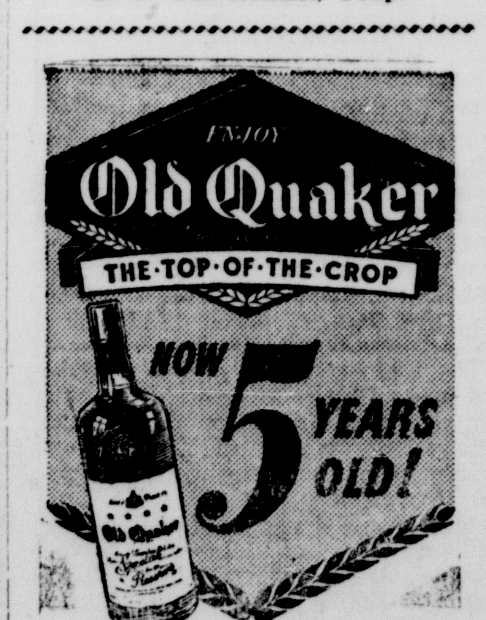
A fine rain fell here Sunday night and Monday morning, giving the ground a thorough soaking. It seems to have been general over a large section and many farmers think it assures the production of some corn.

Charles Vincent Richter is here from Texas A. and M. College on two weeks' vacation visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Richter. He will then return to College Station to enter his Sophomore year's work.

Judge and Mrs. H. E. Haass, Miss Ada Bell Carter, Mr. R. A. Carter and son, Roy, were in San Antonio Monday where they attended the graduation of Miss Fay Iris Carter from the Santa Rosa School of Nursing. The graduating exercises were held in the Incarnate Word College auditorium. Miss Carter will remain at Santa Rosa Hospital until September and has been assigned to the operating room.

A note from Rev. P. J. Potgens, former pastor of St. John's Church here, also enclosed a complimentary ticket to the annual Spring Festival for the benefit of St. Agnes Church, of San Antonio, of which Father Potgens is now in charge. The festival will be held at Pablo's Grove on the Old Castroville Road, Sunday, May 31st. Sausage and barbecue dinner will be served from 11 A. M. to 2:00 P. M. and again in the evening from 5:00 P. M. to 9:00 P. M. There will be other amusements provided.

THE PLAZA BAR & CAFE
Under New Management
SOLICITS YOUR PATRONAGE
E. J. OEFINGER, Prop.



Straight Bourbon Whiskey, 66 Proof. This Whiskey is 5 Years Old. The Old Quaker Company, Lawrenceburg, Indiana



FRIDAY - SATURDAY
May 22-23

DON "RED" BARRY
LYNN MERRICK
in

Death Valley Outlaw

Action — Drama — Romance
In a saga of the West
Also First Episode of New Serial
"SPY SMASHER"
One of America's foremost comic book cartoon characters—star of "Whiz" and "Spy Smasher."
And a Short Subject,
"HAPPY CIRCUS DAYS"

SUNDAY - MONDAY
May 24-25

Shirley Temple Herbert Marshall
Laraine Day
in

"KATHLEEN"

A new Shirley returns to the screen to fight for her father's love.
Also Short Subject
"YE OLDE MINSTRELS"

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY
May 26-27-28

Errol Flynn Olivia de Havilland
in

"They Died With Their Boots On"

A daring soldier goes from West Point to fateful Little Big Horn.
Also News Reel and Short Subject
"WABBIT TROUBLE"
Show Starts at 8 P. M.; Matinee every day at 2:30 P. M.

THE RAYE

AGRICULTURE PREPARES FOR EMERGENCY

Members of the County Land Use Planning committee, now called the County Agricultural Victory Council, and other volunteer leaders have just completed a human chain system of communication whereby every farm family in Medina County can be reached within a few short hours should an emergency make it necessary.

The procedure, directed by C. M. Merritt, County Agriculture Agent, and Velma Hambleton, Home Demonstration Agent, divided the county into school districts with a man and woman appointed as the community Victory leaders. These leaders in turn broke down their community into neighborhood leaders who listed the families in their neighborhood. Thus, this Agriculture Victory Council will aid the Extension Service and other agencies in bringing information of an educational and emergency nature to every rural family in the county, and to aid in obtaining important information from rural people that will be helpful in carrying forward war work.

BOARD OF EQUALIZATION TO MEET

The Board of Equalization for the Hondo Independent School District will be in session Monday, May 25, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 5 P. M., at the courthouse.

BUTCHER'S EQUIPMENT FOR SALE

For sale at a bargain if taken complete: 1 10-ft. Hill Display Meat Counter, with motor; 1 U. S. Meat Slicer; 1 Meat Grinder; 1 Toledo Scale. All late models and in good condition. For particulars see Fletcher Davis at this office.

FISHERMEN!

UP-TO-THE-MINUTE ITEMS IN FISHING TACKLE. COMPLETE STOCKS. NATIONAL BRANDS. WESTERN AUTO ASSOCIATE STORE, HONDO.

FOR SALE

A 4-room house, situated on two 60 x 140 feet lots, in south part of town. For price and terms write or see owner,
W. J. WHEELER,
Yancey, Texas.

POSTED

Our pastures are posted. No fishing or hunting allowed.
OVERTON SCHMIDT and
REGINA SCHMIDT.
1-8-43c.

FOR SALE

One 22-36 Case Thresher, in good condition. Will sell or trade for cattle. Phone 984F21.
ROBT. H. RIFF.

POSTED

No fishing or hunting is allowed on my pastures, and all trespassers are hereby warned to keep out.
D. G. MANN.
7-1-Pd.

\$2²⁵

Ask to see Style No. 65 as sketched.

Color From South America!

UP FROM OUR NEIGHBORS TO THE SOUTH COME THESE SOUTH AMERICAN COLORS.... ZESTFUL TANGY TONES... EACH A PEPPER POT WITHIN ITSELF... BROUGHT TOGETHER WITH DRAMATIC BEAUTY IN THIS SUMMER SANDAL BE THE FIRST TO FLAUNT THESE EXCITING COLORS—GAUCHO RED, RIO BLUE, PAMPAS GREEN, AZTEC YELLOW....

E. P. Leinweber Co.
HONDO, TEXAS

LA COSTE LEDGERETS

LaCoste Ledger.

Service Flag, bearing a star for member of St. Mary's Parish in the service of the United States, was placed in the church.

placed on the flag represent following: Joseph Fischer, Leonard, Herbert Adam, Leonard, John Lloyd Zuercher, Adam, Howard Bohl, William, Frederick Donecker, Walter, Roy Groff, Sydney, Klamm, Zinsmeyer, Helen, and Catherine Adam.

KEMPFF-KELLER NUPTIALS

Henrietta Keller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Keller of LaCoste and Edgar Kempf, son of Edgar Kempf of Atascosa, were married in a simple ceremony at St. Mary's church, Wednesday afternoon, May 6, 1942, at 3 o'clock. Rev. John J. Zinsmeyer officiated.

The bride was attired in a powder blue gown and her accessories were of white. She wore a corsage of white. Her bridesmaids were of white. The groom wore a tuxedo. The ceremony was held in the church.

C. T. Wurzbach and daughter, Clara, spent last Wednesday with the Joe H. family.

Ward from Delta was a bus- in LaCoste Wednesday.

E. B. Haegelin of Rio Medina home last week from the Rosa Hospital where she had a patient.

and Mrs. Matt Hitzfelder of Antonio spent several days this week with Mr. Hitzfelder's par- Mr. and Mrs. Alex Hitzfelder.

Helena Zinsmeyer was at the home of Mrs. Louise Biediger Saturday after having several weeks in the Medina hospital at Hondo with a dislocated shoulder.

Monday evening, May 21st, is the for graduation exercises at LaCoste Public School. Superin- of Schools, Matt Bader, will present the awards and Eugene J. St. president of the School will present the diplomas.

of the graduating class are: An Ah, Eugene Keller Jr., Ber- Keller, Joseph Sittre, Margaret Calvin Jagge, Aurora Duron, Duron, Meta Kriewald, Vergil Janie Salzman and Inez Rihn. and Mrs. Oscar Biediger are proud parents of a baby girl, May 6, 1942, at the Castville.

Miss Marie Louise Rihn of Antonio is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert here for some time.

and Mrs. A. N. Mangold of and Miss Hazel Jungman of San who were dinner guests of Mr. Mrs. Otto Jungman Sunday.

Louis Schott from Castro- was a visitor in LaCoste Friday.

Her son, Edgar Hans, now the United States Army in Wyo- She said he writes that it is up there and that he keeps for "news and cookies".

and Mrs. Emil Mangold and from the Sauz and Mr. Aug- old of Dunlay, who is visiting were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Jungman Tuesday night.

and Mrs. I. G. Harvey and lit- from Randado, Texas, Miss Zinsmeyer and Mr. and Mrs. Jungman of San Antonio here Thursday for the funeral of their grandfather, August Keller.

and Mrs. Leonard Jungman son, Bobby, from Corpus Christi and Mrs. Alex Jungman, Jr., little son, Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. Embrey and little son, Jim- Miss Louise Miksch, and Mr. Bernard Jungman from San who spent Mother's Day here Mr. and Mrs. Alex Jungman.

and Mrs. Joe LaMon and lit- daughter, Betty Jo, from San An- visited with Judge and Mrs. D. Biediger, here Sunday afternoon.

Rachel Koontz of San An- her daughter and daughter- Mrs. Bill Pearce and Mrs. Lee Koontz, were visiting friends Sunday.

infant daughter of Mr. and Biediger was baptized in St. Mary's church May 9, 1942. The given the little Miss were Kathryn. Sponsors were Biediger and Martin.

over the week-end with Mrs. O. W. Huegele and Mr. G. A. Mechler were Mrs. Biediger and daughter, Loretta, Natalia, Mrs. W. D. Atkins, Misses Thelma and Alta and Messrs. Marlin and Krause from San Antonio and Mrs. E. C. Huegele, Mr. and Mrs. Huegele and son, Mr. and Mrs. Huegele and daughter, Matthews from San Antonio, and Vinson S. Huegele from Replacement Center, San Antonio.

Monday evening, May 11 Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Bippert party at their home on his birthday anniversary. Several of bingo were played. Prizes were given for each game. A patri- was carried out with col-

ors of red, white, and blue prevail- ing. Vernon received many lovely gifts from his friends, and he thank- ed them for the remembrances.

Lunch was served consisting of cheese and ham sandwiches, potato chips, deviled eggs, cookies, and punch. Assisting Mrs. Bippert as hostesses were Mrs. George Kunze, Mrs. Paul Koenig, and Miss Evelyn Hutzler. The list of friends who at- tended the party were: Tessie Rihn Eunice Koenig, Beatrice Christilles Mary Ellen Franger, Irene Koenig Kathleen Hutzler, Sharmaine Ahr Lamont, James Christilles, Donald Mangold, Tommie Parma, El- drich Kunze, Carlyle Keller, Robert Biediger, Harvey Kunze, Clinton Bippert, Miss Erna Schmidt, Miss Evelyn Hutzler, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Koenig, Mr. and Mrs. George Kunze Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Bippert, and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Bippert.

MARRIAGE MAXIMS

Once a man has tied the knot, he doesn't have much rope.

Courtship makes a man spoon- marriage makes him fork it out.

No girl marries a man for better or for worse, but for more or less.

Marriage is like a cafeteria; He grabs what looks nice to him, and pays for it later.

In a Missouri court the wife said her husband struck her and the hus- band said she struck him. We can't say who'll get the divorce until we know how it strikes the judge.

LEINWEBER COMMUNITY H. D. CLUB NEWS

Members of the Leinweber Com- munity H. D. Club met Wednesday afternoon, May 13, at the home of Mrs. Jim Amberson, with 9 members and one visitor present.

The Council Delegate gave a re- port on Council meeting which she attended at Hondo Wednesday after- noon, May 6.

Plans were made to quilt for the club to raise funds for the treasury.

The hostess served a very delicious lunch.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Alfred Schlentz on May 27.

Reporter.

BANDERA NEWS

The Bandera New Era.

Boyd Ryle of San Antonio, who has been employed at Brooks Field, has been transferred to the Sub-Depot at Roswell, N. M. He left Saturday, May 9th, to take up his work there as foreman in the Aircraft Wood Mill. He was accom- panied there by his sister, Miss Lois Ryle. They spent Friday night with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ryle near Tarpley.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Saathoff en- tertained with a party last Thursday honoring Miss Edna Coughran, a senior in Bandera High School. The guests enjoyed a scavenger hunt late in the afternoon followed by a bar-becue supper. After supper games were played. Eighteen guests were present.

Week-end visitors of Miss Annie Reitzer were Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Balzen, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Zum- berg and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Felt of San Antonio and Mrs. Hugo Zum- berg of Pipe Creek.

TARPLEY

Miss Emma Cobb and son and Mrs. Hattie Billings visited Mrs. Billings' sister, Mrs. Robt. Whitehead and family at Medina Sunday.

Vernon Geuea has returned home from Leakey where he has been em- ployed.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Slezak and Leon- ard Hohenberger attended the show in Bandera Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Sauter and Mrs. John Turner went to Hondo Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Marquis and family and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ul- brich and daughter visited in the Oscar Mangold home Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar T. Monier had as their house guest on Mother's Day Mrs. Milo Evans and daughter, Harriette, and Mrs. Lilly Stucken- berg and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ferrill and daughter, Elaine of San Antonio.

Mesdames Willie and Johnny Schmidt were shopping in Hondo Monday.

Miss Eva Mansfield of San An-

tonio visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mansfield Sunday.

Friends of Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Nowlin gave them a pouncing Satur- day night. After the social hour re- freshments of fruit punch cookies and cakes were served to 35 guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Moravietz of Bandera visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hohenberger Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Benno Pankratz of Comfort spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. A. A. Fritz and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Tucker and daughters of San Antonio visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Ed Tucker over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar T. Monier and daughters were in Hondo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Estes of Eldo- rado visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Estes and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Jeffers Friday.

Mrs. M. L. Saathoff visited her daughter, Mrs. B. Wood and family Sunday.

Mrs. Felix Newcomer and chil- dren of Pipe Creek visited her moth- er, Mrs. R. N. Padgett, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hausler and Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Nowlin went to Bandera Thursday.

Freddie Schmidt and Esther Zeller of Berghelm visited his mother, Mrs. A. A. Fritz Sunday.

A. A. Jeffers has employment in Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Simpson of El- dorado were in Tarpley on business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Tucker and daughter of Uvalde visited his par- ents Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Tucker Sun- day.

Miss Annie Hohenberger of San Antonio spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hohen-berger.

Leroy Sprott of Uvalde spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sprott.

CHOICES.

You can't eat your cake and have it too

Or serve yourself and love your brother

But as you give to help another

You to your better self are true.

—EDITH ANISFIELD WOLF.

INFORMATION FOR SELECTEES

Pointing out that the examination of registrants by local board physi- cians is merely a preliminary exam- ination to eliminate the obviously un- fit, General J. Watt Page, State Se- lective Service Director, today warn- ed registrants that they should await actual induction into the Army be- fore making any final disposition of financial and personal affairs.

"Every selectee," General Page said, "must undergo final physical examination at an Army reception center. The examination by local board physicians is merely prelimi- nary to the Army test. No selectee therefore, should assume that be- cause he has passed the local board tests, or even because he has been or- dered to an Army reception center for possible induction, that he will be accepted by the Army."

Registrants who are inducted will be given ample time to return to their homes to adjust their personal affairs within a few days after in- duction, General Page stated, point- ing out that a liberalized policy re- garding furloughs for newly induct- ed registrants has been announced by the War Department. He said:

"Local Boards have today been in- structed to attach to the delivery list for each group of prospective induct- ees the names of those for whom furloughs are recommended, and the Selective Service System has been assured by the War Department that such furloughs will invariably be granted if recommended by the local board."

These furloughs for inducted reg- istrants will begin not later than five days after induction, according to General Page, and will not exceed ten days except that when an induct- ee lives at a considerable distance from the Army reception center, a leave up to fifteen days may be granted.

"This new Army policy should pre- vent any undue hardship to selectees who are inducted," General Page said. "In the past there were some cases of hardship under the present system of inducing forthwith select- ees who pass their final physical ex- amination at Army reception cen- ters. Some men, expecting induc- tion, had made final disposition of

their personal affairs and then were rejected. Others were consid- erably inconvenienced after induc- tion while awaiting leave to adjust pressing personal matters. Now, every prospective inductee can be as- sured that if he requires reasonable time to return to his home to dispose of his personal affairs, leave will be granted to him within a few days after his induction."

WOMEN STUDENTS RECEIVE AWARDS FOR SCHOLARSHIPS

Austin, Texas, May 9.—Two schol- arships of \$300 each and a variety of other scholarship awards were presented to University of Texas women students Friday night at Swing Out, a traditional ceremony for senior and junior coeds, which symbolizes the passing of senior class responsibilities to the oncoming class.

The Panhellenic scholarship went to Christine Zarafonitis, junior pre- medical student from Forney, while the Home Economics Club scholar- ship was awarded to Signe Marie Swanson, junior home economics ma- jor from Ogden, Iowa.

Two awards to outstanding chem- istry students were made by Iota Sigma Pi honorary fraternity for women in chemistry. A cash prize of \$10 went to Dorothy Causey of Aus- tin, top-ranking coed in freshman chemistry, and a scholarship cup was given to Rae Powers, Bryan, who stands first in juniors majoring in chemistry.

The national Alpha Lambda Del- ta award—certificate of scholarship —went to Hazel Louise Harrod of Otto, who has maintained an all A average for four years. Alpha Lambda Delta is a national honor fraternity for freshman women.

Designated as first in the sopho- more class was Judy D. Lacy, Hon- do, who received the Mortar Board scholarship cup. Final award, a \$25 cash prize, presented by Chi Omega sorority to an outstanding student in the field of social science, went to Edna Maynard of Ben Wheeler, senior economics major.

If your name isn't among the per- sonal items of this paper DO SOME- THING ABOUT IT!

YEARS AHEAD...by Our Calendar

Natural Gas in the Gulf South today was planned and provided for years ago. Fortunately this farsighted planning has made possible this efficient fuel for war production now.

It's a big undertaking to locate, produce and deliver a continuous dependable supply of Natural Gas for more than three hundred cities and towns and to industries in the Gulf South. It takes careful planning in advance to anticipate the needs of the future. It takes, too, the fine skill and knowledge of engineers, draftsmen, sur-

vveyors, prospecting and drilling crews and many other workers. All of these men work YEARS AHEAD of today's needs.

This has been made possible by seasoned management—men with vision—men with the ability to measure tomorrow's require- ments today. Because of this preparedness your Natural Gas Service is not only DEPENDABLE today, but is efficiently serving industry with a minimum use of critical materials—materials vitally needed for production of guns, battleships, and other implements of war.



ROLL UP YOUR SLEEVES
for the Gulf South
AMERICA'S FAST-GROWING INDUSTRIAL AREA
FOR BOTH WAR AND PEACETIME PRODUCTION

BUY U. S. SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS . . . HELP WIN THE WAR!

UNITED GAS PIPE LINE COMPANY
UNION PRODUCING COMPANY
AND ASSOCIATED COMPANY

DEPENDABLE NATURAL GAS SERVICE DOESN'T JUST HAPPEN

The Anvil Herald

Published weekly—Every Friday—by
THE FLETCHER DAVIS
PUBLICATIONS.

ANNE DAVIS, Editor.
MRS. ROBERTA O. DAVIS,
Assistant Editor.
FLETCHER DAVIS,
Managing Editor.

Entered at the Postoffice at Hondo,
Texas, as second-class matter.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES:
Within Hondo's trade area (Medina, Atascosa, Frio, Uvalde, Bander and Bexar Counties) one year \$1.50
With Farming, both together one year \$1.75
Outside this area, one year \$2.00
With Farming, both together one year \$2.25

HONDO, TEXAS, MAY 22, 1942

Washington Snapshots

by JAMES PRESTON

How much money John Doe will pay for the things he needs during the war is still a favorite topic of discussion here. Opinion in most quarters seems to be that while prices may be frozen for a time by the present ceilings they will slowly creep upwards after a short period a ceiling on existing pay levels.

One reason is that labor is expected to continue its demands for wage increases. A check of labor leaders and key New Dealers reveals that they do not regard President Roosevelt's reference to wages as placing a ceiling on existing pay levels.

The major showdown on whether there will be wage ceilings or union labor will succeed in obtaining wage boosts is expected to come in the "Little Steel" and General Motors disputes. In these cases, now pending before the War Labor Board, the unions are demanding a dollar a day increase.

Should the increase be granted, legislation is expected to be introduced in Congress immediately to establish wage ceilings. Supporters of such legislation will cite the fact that Price Administrator Leon Henderson has opposed the "Little Steel" wage increase because they would induce an inflationary spiral.

Now that the Nation has been registered for sugar rationing, officials here are turning their attention to the procedure that will be followed in the rationing of other articles.

Present plan is to set up a group rationing system, as contrasted with the present procedure of individual rationing of such products as autos, tires, and sugar. This means that instead of having one ration card and quota for coffee, another for sugar, another for tea, and so on for each item that is rationed, similar items will be lumped together, and cards issued for the whole group. Consumers will then have a choice of using all their points on one item or of dividing them among the group.

Patent authorities here are calling attention to the fact that the government has long had the power to have goods produced for it, regardless of patents on them.

This is a fact which has been ignored by the Senate Patents Committee. It has been holding hearings on a new bill, ostensibly drafted to make inventions available for use in the war emergency.

An Act passed in 1910, and amended in 1918, makes it possible now for anyone to make anything for the government without considering whether any patents may apply. This is true whether the country is at war or at peace.

Regardless of laws governing the situation, industry generally has made its patents fully available for the all-out war effort, and may feel that the present attack on the patent practices of industry is paving the way for far-reaching legislation which has little or no connection with the immediate job of winning the war.

In view of the laws in existence, the government could have had synthetic rubber, carbonyl, or any other of the products now in the headlines, produced at any time. Patents, according to noted patent authorities, have in no way interfered with such action by the government.

TO RECEIVE DEGREE

Austin, Texas, May 20.—Over one thousand University of Texas students in seven fields of study will receive bachelor's degrees in annual commencement services June 1. Degrees will be granted to graduates of the University's College of Arts and Sciences, College of Pharmacy, School of Education, School of Business Administration, College of Fine Arts, College of Engineering, and School of Law.

Candidates for undergraduate degrees from Medina County include: Billy G. Merritt Schonberg, Hondo, Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education.

Marajean Brubeck, Natalia, Bachelor of Science in Home Economics. Clinton Otto Wurzbach, Cliff, Bachelor of Science in Chemical Engineering.

Nearly three and one quarter million acres, or about three-fourths of the acreage sown to wheat in Texas, is planted in the 31 counties comprising the principal portion of the Panhandle-Plains region.

Before renewing or subscribing for any magazine see us at the Anvil Herald office and save money on our club rates.

DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET REPORT

Monday, May 11, 1942

San Antonio, May 11.—HOGS: Estimated salable and total receipts 1,000. The week's initial session in the San Antonio hog market developed on a steady to 10c higher basis compared with Friday. The day's top rested at \$13.85 while the bulk of Good and Choice 180-270 lb. butchers cleared \$13.75-13.85. Similar grade 160-180 lb. averages made \$13.25-13.75 and 140-160 lb. light lights \$12.50-13.25. Most sales sows 400 lbs. down came in at \$12.50-12.75. Feeder pigs were scarce but under fairly broad demands were quotable to \$12.00.

CATTLE: Estimated salable and total receipts 1,300; CALVES 1,800. In view of ceiling prices for dressed beef effective today, buyers made further determined efforts to reduce live costs. Due mainly to moderate receipts, however, the general market appeared slow but sales indicated a steady to weak price trend. A load good fed around 954 lb. steers cashed at \$11.50. Scattered sales Common and Medium kinds developed at \$9.00-10.75. Around three loads 1008 lb. Medium grade grass fat steers turned \$10.65. A package Medium grade heifers made \$10.50.

Common and Medium cows cleared at \$7.25-8.75 with odd head Good offerings \$9.00. Most Canners and Cutters changed hands at \$5.00-7.25 although a few thin shelly and emaciated Canners had to go at \$4.00-4.50. Odd head Common and Medium sausage bulls turned \$7.25-9.00. Slaughter calves were in very moderate supply and buyers failed to accomplish lower prices. Good and Choice turned at \$11.50-12.50 with Common and Medium at \$9.00-11.25 and Culls \$7.00-8.50.

Fairly broad demands continued steady prices for stocker calves although some weakness was evident for 400-450 lb. weights. The majority Good and Choice steers turned at \$11.25-14.00 with a package under 300 lb. weights to \$15.00. Comparable grade heifers made \$10.50-13.00.

SHEEP: Estimated salable and total receipts 900. Most sheep and goat sales appeared generally steady. Odd head Medium and Good fresh shorn old crop lambs claimed \$8.50. A part load Medium and Good ewes carrying No. 3 pelts made \$5.25 while fresh shorn Common lots dropped to \$4.25. Fresh shorn ewes and wethers mixed commanded \$6.00. A few spring lambs moved as stockers at \$8.00.

GLEN L. ELLISON,
Local Representative.

DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET REPORT

Monday, May 18, 1942

San Antonio, May 18.—HOGS: Estimated salable and total receipts 800. The week's initial session in the hog division at San Antonio found values listed on a steady basis compared with last week Friday. The day's top rested at \$13.75 with the bulk of Good and Choice 180-270 lb. averages at \$13.65-13.75. Similar grade 160-180 lbs. claimed \$13.25-13.65 and 140-160 lb. light lights \$12.50-13.25. Sows ranged from \$12.50-12.75. Broad demands placed feeder pigs strong to 25c higher at \$12.00-12.50.

CATTLE: Estimated salable and total receipts 1,500; CALVES 2,000. Trade in the cattle division found most classes selling on a moderately active basis at fully steady rates. Several loads Common and Medium grass steers looked 25c or more higher. A package Good around 1050 fed steers claimed \$11.75 and a load just Good 637 lb. fed yearlings earned \$12.35. The bulk of Common and Medium steers and yearlings turned at \$9.00-11.00 with Cutter grade steers of Mexican origin at \$8.00-8.50. Four loads Common and Medium grass fat steers secured \$10.75.

Common and Medium beef cows commanded \$7.25-8.75 while Canners and Cutters had to go at \$5.00-7.25. Occasional thin shelly Canners dropped to \$4.50 or below. Common to good sausage bulls made \$7.25-9.50. Killer calves ruled strong to 25c higher as Good and Choice calves brought \$11.50-12.50 in most cases with a few to \$13.00. Common and Medium selections turned at \$9.00 to \$11.50 and Culls \$7.00-8.75. Vealers reached \$13.25.

Stocker calf supplies proved moderate and Good and Choice steer offerings sold readily at \$11.25-14.00, few Choice light weight lots to \$14.50. Similar grade heifers realized \$10.50-13.00. Medium and Good stocker cows turned at \$8.25-9.00.

SHEEP: Estimated salable and total receipts 1,200. Sales in the sheep and goat division carried a steady to strong price trend. A package Good 161 lb. shorn slaughter ewes made \$6 and Medium to Good fresh clipped aged wethers reached \$6.25. A part of slaughter Angoria goats cleared at \$4.50-5.25. Medium and Good stocker spring lambs changed hands at \$8.00-8.50 while shorn yearling stockers made \$6.00-6.50.

GLEN L. ELLISON,
Local Representative.

WITHHOLD NO KINDNESS

Withhold no word or deed or act of kindness,

For when you meet today,
For when they go you'll think of it and often

Wish they'd pass again this way.

If time should send them back along old pathways,

Where you greeted friends of old;
And you could greet anew some friend or neighbor,

Then you'd speak with words of gold.

—MALOY BYRNS.

ABOUT PEOPLE YOU KNOW

Herald, Dilley, Texas.

Rev. E. W. Dechert returned Wednesday from McAllen where he attended the District meeting of the Lions Clubs as delegate from the Dilley Club.

The Uvalde Leader-News. RIDER HURT AS MOTORCYCLE HITS CAR

Within less than 12 hours after the new Garner Field road was completed last Friday afternoon, Leslie Holloway of this city was seriously injured when the motorcycle which he was riding collided head-on with an automobile near the field early Saturday morning.

Holloway sustained a broken left leg and numerous cuts and bruises. Occupants of the car escaped injury. Holloway, who is employed at Garner Field, was en route to work at the time of the accident.

Leslie Holloway who suffered a broken leg in an accident last week is reported to be doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Tincie Mask and children of Freeport accompanied by their mother, Mrs. Nora Davenport of Sabinal, spent Sunday here. They attended services at Aldine.—Reagan Wells.

J. O. McFadin sold 50 head of cows and calves to Mr. Schuchart of D'Hanis the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Umlang and Mrs. G. B. Garnett were among those attending the Baptist meeting in Vanderpool this week.—Utopia.

Dr. Lloyd Kelley of Valdina Farms accompanied Mr. Woodward and Mr. Colvin to the Derby at Churchill Downs last week.

The Carrizo Springs Javelin.

The teachers of the local schools enjoyed a picnic at the Ulbrich home on the Crystal City-Carrizo Springs highway Monday evening. Mr. Ulbrich is principal of the Central Ward school. There were about 50 guests attending.

Brackett News-Mail.

Miss Lillian Bader underwent an appendix operation in Del Rio the past week-end.

The Karnes City Citation.

Lawrence E. Mechler spent the week-end in Seguin visiting Mr. and Mrs. Louis T. Morawietz.

The Dilley Herald.

Mrs. Florence Love of Hondo spent from Sunday until Wednesday here with her aunt, Mrs. Johnnie Beever.

The Uvalde Leader-News.

AMELIA OHLENBUSCH TO WED
GARLAND COOPER

Mrs. Carl Ohlenbusch and Mrs. Hubert Burell were co-hostesses at a surprise birthday party last Saturday evening in honor of Mr. Burell. The birthday cake was decorated to represent a May pole and miniature flags were used as candles. When the cake was passed to the guests, each was asked to draw a flag. Another surprise was concealed around each flag pole. The engagement and approaching marriage of Amelia Ohlenbusch to Garland Cooper of Uvalde was announced. The marriage will take place Sunday, May 24.

Miss Ohlenbusch is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Ohlenbusch and has taught school in Live Oak county for several years, and is now teaching at Rio Medina.

The Laramie (Wyo.) Newspaper. NEW ROTC HEAD AND WIFE ARE GUESTS OF CRAIGS

Col. and Mrs. M. E. Craig, who will leave soon on a new army assignment, presided as the gracious host and hostess last evening for a formal dinner party at the Wyoming Union complementing their successors, Col. and Mrs. Eugene V. Behan who came here from Camp Polk, La. Bridge followed the dinner.

Besides the Behans, guests were Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrill, Maj. and Mrs. B. C. Daly, Mrs. Fewell, Dr. and Mrs. F. S. Hultz, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Veeder, Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Pugh, Capt. and Mrs. Stanley Winter and the host and hostess.

GRADUATES FROM AIR CORPS TECHNICAL SCHOOL

KESSLER FIELD, Miss., May 20.—Pvt. Melvin G. Barth, son of Mr. Emil G. Barth, Hondo, Texas, today was graduated from the huge Air Corps Technical School here after an intensive 19-week course which prepared him to serve as an Airplane Mechanic "on the line".

Private Barth's class, which numbered in the hundreds, will be dispersed among the many units of the Army Air Forces to maintain and service Uncle Sam's planes. The course here includes training in aircraft maintenance fundamentals, airplane structures, hydraulic systems, propellers, instruments, engines, electrical systems, fuel systems, engine operation, and inspection of single and multi-motored planes.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

The engagement of Miss Patricia La Nelle Blalack of San Antonio to Wesley Lee Moehring, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Moehring of Hondo, is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wetta of San Antonio. The wedding will be in the summer.

A Sultan at odds with his harem, Thought of a way he could scarem. He caught him a mouse, Set it loose in the house, Thus started the first harem-scaram.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION GIVEN BY MEDINA COUNTY RATIONING BOARD

Consumers With Excess Sugar

People who had excess amount of sugar and were not issued war ration books must ration themselves lest their supply be exhausted before they are allowed to get books. No war ration books will be issued to persons who registered excess amounts of sugar until a sufficient number of rationing periods have expired during which the consumer, if he had ration stamps, might have purchased an amount of sugar equal to his excess. No family or individual should consume sugar at a greater rate than a pound per person each two weeks.

Excess Sugar Inventories of Registering Units

Any registering unit having an excess inventory must surrender to the local Rationing Board for cancellation stamps or certificates in weight value equal to the amount of their excess before it may accept any deliveries of sugar.

Lost Ration Books

The people are advised that utmost caution should be taken of their war ration books. No new books will be issued by the local board until two months after date of application for new books.

Sugar For Canning

No certificates for sugar for canning will be issued on Tuesday and Wednesday of each week. These two days are set aside for rationing of tires. When applying for sugar for canning one person may do so for the family group by bringing along all ration books. Be sure to bring these ration books to the Board when making these applications.

FLYER-HUSBAND OF HONDO GIRL REPORTED MISSING

Mrs. Arthur Craig Daub, the former Evelyn Ruth Dawson of Hondo, Friday was notified by the War Department that her husband, Lieut. Arthur Craig Daub, was missing on a flight from Balboa, Canal Zone. He has not been heard from since taking off on a flight May 13. The flyer is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Daub of Saltsburg, Pa. His father is president of the Kiski school and the family is prominent in Pennsylvania. Lieut. Daub and Evelyn Ruth Dawson were married in February in San Antonio and soon after he left for duty in the Canal Zone. Mrs. Daub has been staying here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dawson. Lieutenant's Daub's brother, Lieut. Jack Daub, of the United States Navy, lost his life when the U. S. S. Reuben James was torpedoed in the Atlantic.

VERSATILE

Problems are our own invention. Never our Father's intention. —EDITH ANISFIELD WOLF

The hardest time to get the baby to sleep is when she is 18.

WE RECOMMEND KILLA-WORM

GUARANTEED TO KILL SCREW WORMS

WINDROW DRUG CO.

RUBBER STAMPS

ORDER YOURS
AT
THE ANVIL HERALD OFFICE

ANNE ELIZABETH DAVIS
NOTARY PUBLIC
Office at
The Anvil Herald Office
Phone 127 Hondo, Texas

TO CHECK MALARIA IN 7 DAYS take 666

Medina County Abstract Co.

(INCORPORATED)
H. E. HAASS, Manager
EMIL BRITSCH, Asst. Manager.
HONDO TEXAS

Complete Tract indexes, Complete Abstracts of Title and Complete sets of Maps and Plats of all tracts of lands and lots in Medina county, together with years of experience, places us in a position to give you promptly an accurate and complete Abstract of Title. Maps of Medina County, showing Surveys, etc., for sale.

SONG of the WINTER GARDEN

Is a book of original poems about Texas scenes and Texas people by a native Texan. It is a book you will enjoy, and one that will make an excellent gift for Mothers' Day, Graduation and other occasions.

A copy of this interesting book and a year's subscription to this paper for only
\$1.00

If ordered through us. Address
FLETCHER'S FARMING,
Hondo, Texas.

EASTER MESSAGES

Such beauty blossoms in our little town!
Spring pleads with all its messages so sweet,
It is as though the Lord Himself Came down, and walked
With blessed footsteps through the street.

Here Easter promise takes time and place,
And like spring beauty to a world that's fit,
New dispensation comes
When by God's grace
Our souls are ready and prepared for it.

—BESS FOSTER SMITH.

Soldiers, in the very nature of the service they render, are destroyers, not producers. It is estimated that in modern warfare it takes the product of 18 producers to supply one fighting man. The first essential of the fighting man is food and the source of that food is the farm. So the man who produces food is a fighting man just as essential as the man who points a gun. Let us remember there is a part for us all to play.

LOOK MAGAZINE AGE-TEST REVEALS:



MEN USUALLY JUDGE YOUR AGE BY YOUR HAIR. CLAIROL®-TINTED HAIR HELPS WOMEN LOOK YEARS YOUNGER

If your hair is dull, gray—and if you're smart—you are going to look into this remarkable Clairol Shampoo Tint Treatment which gives that "natural look" Right now! Let us show you the difference color-tone makes. With CLAIROL, a single operation cleanses, conditions and colors your hair to radiant loveliness. Visit your beauty shop today!

Caution: Use only as directed on the label.
naturally... with CLAIROL
*Instant Clairol

W. T. Crow

FIRE, TORNADO, LIABILITY, AUTOMOBILE, PLATE GLASS AND BURGLARY INSURANCE.
—SURETY BONDS—
Office at E. R. Leinweber Co.

The HONDO NATIONAL BANK

HONDO, TEXAS
Loans made on Safe and Conservative Basis to All Customers Alike
YOUR BUSINESS APPRECIATED
Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

What Your Home Needs!

Keep Up WITH EVENTS
EVERY WEEK from
THE NATION'S CAPITAL

Read **PATHFINDER**

PATHFINDER brings to you in words and pictures the drama of events fresh from Washington, D. C., the nation's capital, today the world's news center. News, features, and facts, events boiled down into 20 interesting, inspiring departments. Complete, unbiased, non-partisan, non-sectarian, dependable—gives both sides. Improved new features. World's oldest, most-read news weekly at one-fourth the cost of others. Furnishes clean, reliable reading for the entire family.

EVERY HOME IN MEDINA COUNTY NEEDS THE ANVIL HERALD, YOUR COUNTY PAPER SINCE 1886. YOU NEED ITS COMPANION PUBLICATION, FLETCHER'S FARMING, A FARM, HOME AND LIVESTOCK PAPER. THEN FOR A PAPER OF GENERAL NEWS AND COMMENT YOU NEED THE PATHFINDER. BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT WE CAN GIVE YOU THIS FAMILY COMBINATION.

All Three One Year for Only \$2.10

H. J. Meyer, M.D.
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON
Office Over Red & White Store
Res. Phone 80 Office Phone
HONDO, TEXAS

IT WILL PAY
YOU TO KNOW THE FACTS
ABOUT YOUR EYES.
V. A. CROW
Jeweler and Optometrist

WOODLAWN DAIRY
GET YOUR
MILK AND CREAM
FROM US—
HAROLD STIEGLER
Proprietor

FOR RELIEF
in
Headaches
Simple Neuralgias
or Muscular Pains
DR. MILES
ANTI-PAIN PILL


If you never have had any of these pains, be thankful. They can take a lot of the joy out of life.

If you have ever suffered as most of us have, from a headache, the next time try DR. MILES ANTI-PAIN PILLS. You will find the pleasant to take and unusually prompt and effective action. Dr. Miles Anti-Pain Pills are also recommended for Neuralgia, Muscular Pains, Functional Menstrual Pains and pain following tooth extraction.

Dr. Miles Anti-Pain Pills not upset the stomach or leave you with a doxy, drug feeling.

At Your Drug Store:
125 Tablets in 25 Tablets Box

HARTFORD



Insist
ON A HARTFORD
Insurance Policy
O. H. MILLER
EXCLUSIVE AGENCY
Maintains Special Office with
Friendly Service
HONDO
Since 1907

SECURITY SEAL

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

German language? Then let us forward your subscription for you the Freie Presse fuer Texas, the big German Language Texas paper.

FARMING both one year for \$2.00.

Club offers before order- tf.

Mrs. R. E. Grams of San Antonio spent Monday here.

BUY EGGS. CHAPMAN AND GRAIN CO., HONDO. tf.

Mrs. August Schmidt of Antonio were visitors here Sun-

SEDAN FOR SALE—Ap- Mr. Bledsoe at Richter board- ing.

SALE—Two-story house and across from High School— 2tpd.

Mrs. Don Windrow of spent the week-end with 2tpd.

OFFER YOU 4-DAY LAUN- SERVICE AS AN AGENCY. PEACE CROW.

Tablets to keep your in good condition at WIND- DRUG STORE.

CAN STILL SELL WIRE METAL SUPPLIES. ALAMO COMPANY.

OFFER YOU 4-DAY LAUN- SERVICE AS AN AGENCY. PEACE CROW.

money on your papers and by ordering them through 2tpd.

Hemstitching see Mrs. R. W. at residence opposite north- 2tpd.

WANTED—To buy a complete baby bed and high chair. ES PAUL HAASS, 977-F2.

Will pay you 60c per hundred metal and paper strut gar- 2tpd.

garden. V. HORACE CROW.

Heath left Wednesday for after spending several days with his mother, Mrs. L. E. 2tpd.

Tate, wecker at the air field. patient at Medina Hospital 2tpd.

ment for food poisoning on 2tpd.

Mrs. R. W. Gaines of San were here on business Tues- 2tpd.

also visited Mr. and Mrs. C. 2tpd.

the NEW FAVORITE We serve regular meals, 2tpd.

and cold drinks. You'll 2tpd.

food and service. 2tpd.

Clyde Abbott and son, Billy, Antonio are spending the with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Embrey, and family.

J. W. Crow was in Pearsall for a visit with friends and 2tpd.

attended the Baptist 2tpd.

in San Antonio.

O. L. Moss, the former Thel- 2tpd.

son, is here from Fort Bliss, on a two weeks' visit with her 2tpd.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Johnson.

CAN STILL BUILD, RE- AND REMODEL. ASK US HOW. ALAMO LUM- COMPANY, HONDO, PHONE

supply of Ray's Guaranteed 2tpd.

er, harmless to anything but 2tpd.

rice. Sells for 35c and 5c 2tpd.

DROW DRUG STORE. 7-10

BUY ALL KINDS OF LET US QUOTE PRICES YOU SELL. CHAPMAN AND GRAIN CO., HONDO.

SALE: Two unimproved lots 2tpd.

corner on Highway 90, 2tpd.

part of Hondo. See the 2tpd.

of the Hondo Land Co. 2tpd.

pay you to get the habit of 2tpd.

the classified ads. Others 2tpd.

nothing to sell find them 2tpd.

advertising mediums. So 2tpd.

try it.

Duncan underwent an op- 2tpd.

er a ruptured appendix on 2tpd.

at Medina Hospital and is 2tpd.

doing all right. He is a 2tpd.

the air field.

remember, we can go any- 2tpd.

when our services are desired 2tpd.

will attend to everything. 2tpd.

HORGER, Funeral Director 2tpd.

SALE—20 acre farm with 2tpd.

bank and large barn—one- 2tpd.

from courthouse—\$4500.00 2tpd.

Hondo Land Co., Fletcher 2tpd.

Mr. O. Davis, at the Anvil 2tpd.

SALE, or phone 127. 2tpd.

SALE—213-acre stock farm; 2tpd.

in cultivation—two houses 2tpd.

well with windmill and 2tpd.

dirt tank—all goat fenced 2tpd.

per acre. See Hondo Land 2tpd.

Fletcher and Roberta O. 2tpd.

Anvil Herald office or 2tpd.

tf.

COURTHOUSE BRIEFS

Observation Posts To Be Manned
Aircraft Warning Service Observation posts in the County are to be manned on Monday, May 25, for one hour for the purpose of instructing the personnel and testing communication lines. After that the present order is to man them once every week, with further instruction from the War Department Regional Signal Office at San Antonio to follow. Post chiefs and observers were appointed and published in this paper several months ago.

Low-Water Bridge Completed
There are now completed two all-weather roads from Hondo to Banderas, as far as the county line. One is by way of the Hondo Valley and the other by the Verde Valley. Commissioner Alfred A. Bader reports the completion this week of the last low-water bridge on the Hondo-Tarpley road. The bridge is at the Sycamore Crossing on the Hondo.

East Wing of Courthouse Nearing Completion
The East wing of the County courthouse is rapidly nearing completion; scaffolding has been removed from the outside, and interior work and finishing is now in progress. Due to the Defense Program, however, the Commissioners' Court has decided not to make the other repairs and improvements on the old building, temporarily. Funds are sufficient to complete these other minor improvements, but the work was excluded by WPA officials, according to information from County Judge Arthur H. Rothe. The work on the old building will be continued as soon as possible.

Vouchers Cancelled
The Commissioners' Court met Friday and examined the monthly bills of the County and the Commissioners, approved and ordered them paid. The Court also received the first quarterly report of the Treasurer and approved the same. All vouchers of the County Clerk were received, approved and ordered cancelled. The Court will meet as a Board of Equalization on Monday, May 25th.

Chairmen Named
Mr. J. G. Barry has resigned as County Chairman of the Defense Bonds and Stamps sale and Mr. Frank X. Vance has been appointed in his place.

Mr. Jim Amberson has been named County Chairman of the U. S. O. His organization is not complete at this time. The purpose of the U. S. O. is to provide recreation and entertainment for our armed forces when off duty.

In Justice Court
Lazaro Ramirez was fined \$50.00 and costs in Justice of the Peace H. V. Haass' Court Monday, May 18. He was charged with driving recklessly and running his car into the yard at the home of Mrs. P. Jungman, Sunday, breaking down trees and fence posts. He paid the fine and was released.

Marriage Licenses
May 14, Orville H. Williams and Jessie Reading.
May 15, Jose R. Perez and Aurora York.
May 16, Robert Ray Rotge and Edna Lenora Hubble.
May 16, Claude J. Tondre and Elynn Josephine Steine.
May 19, P. T. Kuykendall and Mary Ramsey.
May 20, Francis C. Richter and Nell Loraine Foley.
May 21, George William Thompson and Rowena Tiller.

Mr. Otis of the Federal Security Administration was a Hondo visitor Thursday contacting officials of the City and of the Chamber of Commerce in regard to forming a War-Time Recreational Council for Hondo preparatory to the arrival of several thousand cadets at the new Air Corps Navigation School. Recreational facilities were investigated, names of churches, lodges, societies, etc., were secured and officials and committees are to be named later. The purpose of the Council is to provide recreation for the armed forces to be stationed here. Mr. Otis was accompanied by his wife and twin daughters.

Mr. Flory Bendele, one of Hondo's few octogenarians, informs us that on May 4th he completed his 86th year and is now in his 87th year. Mr. Bendele, a descendant of one of the early Castro colonists, was born at Castroville on May 4, 1856, and has spent the many intervening years a worthy citizen of Medina County. He is in fair health and more active than many much younger men. He is the oldest living member of the Bendele family.

See our Club offers before ordering your magazines. tf.

NOTICE
BOARD OF EQUALIZATION
County Commissioner's Court of Medina County, Texas, sitting as a board of Equalization.
THE STATE OF TEXAS—County of Medina.
I, S. A. Jungman, County Clerk and ex-officio clerk of the County Commissioner's Court of Medina County, Texas, do hereby give notice that the Honorable County Commissioner's Court of Medina County, Texas, will convene and sit as a Board of Equalization, commencing on the 4th Monday of May, A. D. 1942, the same being the twenty-fifth day of said month, for the purpose of receiving all the assessment lists or books of the assessor of Taxes of Medina County, Texas, for inspection, correction or equalization and approval.
Witness my hand and seal of the County Commissioner's Court of Medina County, Texas, this 7th day May, A. D., 1942.
S. A. JUNGMAN,
County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of County Commissioner's Court of Medina County, Texas.

CATHOLIC SERVICES
Effective at once, there will be three Masses offered each Sunday as follows: St. John's Church at 6:00 A. M. and 9 A. M.; in Our Lady of Sorrows Church, 10:30 A. M. (Central War Time)
Holy Days of Obligation—6:30 A. M. and 9:00 A. M. (Central War Time.)
Communion Sunday for the Holy Name Society—2nd Sunday of every month.
C. GARCIA,
Pastor.

FINAL REPORT OF INITIAL REGISTRATION FOR SUGAR RATION IN MEDINA COUNTY
The Medina County Rationing has furnished us the following final figures in the initial sugar rationing registration in the County:
Application for War Ration Books—15,978.
Applicants who were not issued books due to possession of excess sugar supplies—173.
Number of books issued—15,805.
Number of stamps detached from books issued—1,803.
Number of books spoiled or mutilated—136.
Number of books unissued and on hand—8,051.

HONDO MAN BADLY HURT WHEN STRUCK BY AUTO
Henry Kueck, 71, of Hondo was in a serious condition at Robert B. Green Hospital Monday suffering from a possible fractured skull and injuries to his right shoulder, received when he was struck by a car while walking across Market St. and Main Plaza.
The accident occurred shortly after noon Monday, police reported. The officers listed the driver of the car which struck Kueck as Frank Gunjardo, 217 Rice St.—Tuesday's Express.
We have, up to the hour of going to press, been unable to learn Mr Kueck's condition.

FOR SALE
Pure bred Delain-Merino ewes with lambs or without. Have sold the ranch and will give a bargain in these ewes. Also have rams and billies. See them at Tarpley, Texas. 4tpd.
J. I. PADGETT.

FOR SALE
220 acre pasture—all fenced—hog proof—large barn—good house—large tank—about 65% tillable—5 acres cleared—\$21.00 per acre See the Hondo Land Co. at Anvil Herald office. tf.

Major B. M. Tarver, Chief Pilot, Navigation; Major O. E. Evans, Personnel Officer; and Lieutenant D. B. Depmore, Pilot, Navigation School, were Hondo visitors Wednesday giving the town a "once-over" to determine its facilities for servicing certain personal needs and requirements of the men to be stationed here as soon as the new air field is ready for occupancy. They were pleasant callers at this office while here.

Several distinguished visitors attended the services at the Baptist church Sunday. They were a Mr. Harris, president of a Theological Seminary in China, and Rev. Sam Malone of Albuquerque, New Mexico. Mr. Harris preached the sermon. The two men have been in attendance at the Baptist convention, and Rev. Malone is also visiting his son and his wife, who are living in Hondo during construction of the air field.

CHARLES C. TONDRE
Hondo Phone 173 D'Hanis Phone 64
LET US DO YOUR HAULING
OPERATING UNDER R. R. PERMIT

HONDO CITY LODGE
No. 756 A. F. & A. M.
REGULAR MEETING NIGHTS EACH
SECOND MONDAY OF THE
MONTH
Visiting Brethren Always Welcome.

RED CROSS TRAINING

To date Medina County has three doctors who hold instructors' certificates. These are the only five people who are appointed by the American Red Cross to teach in this county. We hope to have more as the opportunity affords.
Mrs. O. B. Taylor will teach Junior First Aid during summer. These students must be from 12 to 16 years old. Mrs. Earnest Brucks will hold her first Standard Course at New Fountain, Mrs. Alf Bader will teach the Standard Course starting Wednesday, June 3, at the Hondo gymnasium, from 3 to 5.
All who are interested please see each of these instructors for the respective courses. We urge all who can possibly do so to take this course as in order to qualify for any part of war work you must have a First Aid certificate. Especially those who wish to be in the Motor Corps.
There will be definite dates announced next week for Mrs. Taylor's classes and Mrs. Brucks'. From 25 to 35 students make a class.
The following have completed a ten hour advanced course which was taught by Mr. Alton Vordenbaum:
Mrs. Cora McCrea, Mrs. Coy Worley, Miss Pat O'Neil, Mrs. Earl O'Neil, Miss Willie Fly, Mrs. Burton Dixon, Mrs. E. G. Pope, Mrs. R. C. Rath, Mrs. Alf Bader, Mrs. Earl Starnes, Mrs. Elmer Lineweber, Mrs. O. B. Taylor, Mrs. O. A. Fly, Mr. Gus Schneider, Mr. Haldy, Alvin Neuman and Mrs. Earnest Brucks.

PVT. GRELL HEARD FROM
Pvt. Edwin K. Grell, who recently was transferred from Fort Francis E. Warren, Wyoming, to Will Rogers Field, Oklahoma City, Okla., writes the editors the following letter:
"I am writing to let you know that I have changed my address. Please send the Anvil Herald to the following address: Pvt. Edwin K. Grell, Q. M. Dept 772nd Co., Will Rogers Field, Oklahoma City, Okla.
"The field is still under construction. We (about 360 men) are living in a large hanger, and sleep on double-decked cots. The food is swell, and have plenty of it.
I like this climate much better than that of Wyoming. Breathing is much more difficult in Wyoming due to the high altitude.
I thank you for making this change of address. This paper from my home town means a lot to me."

NOTICE TO OUR CUSTOMERS AND FRIENDS
Effective Sunday, May 24th, this Station will be closed on Sundays to give our employees a day off for rest.
Your cooperation will be greatly appreciated by making arrangements during the week for your requirements. We will be open every week day from 7:00 A. M. to 8:00 P. M. to serve you.
We will thank you for your cooperation and help.
M. A. (BUSTER) RATH,
Rath Service Station.
Patronize our advertisers.

ANNOUNCEMENTS
Political Advertising
RATES—Payable in advance:
State and District .. \$10.00
County 7.50
Precinct 5.00
FOR REPRESENTATIVE 77th DISTRICT:
We are authorized to announce HON. C. P. SPANGLER as a candidate for re-nomination for the office of Representative for the 77th Legislative district of Texas, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

HOUSING CONFERENCE HELD
The news, of an unofficial nature, reached here Wednesday that Hondo had been declared a defense area for the purpose of constructing homes for the Air Corps personnel. However, the members of the Victory Homes, Inc., defense housing group here, met the same day with officials of the Federal Housing Administration, Army housing board members and Alamo Lumber Company officials. According to information given us by one of the members of the corporation, a permit has been granted to build 160 houses, 150 of which will be provided by Victory Homes, Inc. This is only about one-third of the buildings that we understand have been pledged.

COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION TO MEET
The Medina County Board of Education will meet May 29, at 2:00 p. m. to classify all rural schools. Any desired change in classification should be recommended before or at the meeting.
The local boards are also requested to report any changes in 1942-43 tax rates by June 15, otherwise the past term rates will be again assessed.
C. F. SCHWEERS,
County Superintendent.

WANTED
A responsible man or woman to handle Murphy's ready-to-go box lunches, depot across from postoffice. A good proposition to right party. Inquire at this office. 1tpd.

FOR SALE!
1928 Chevrolet, in running condition good rubber, \$60.00.
1931 Model A Ford, in running condition, good rubber, \$100.00.
International 1 1/2 Ton Truck, good shape, good rubber, short wheel base.
Federal 1 1/2 Ton Truck, good rubber and good shape Fordson Tractor
Allen Tillotson

Armstrong Cafe
LUNCHES AND SHORT ORDERS
COFFEE & COLD SOFT DRINKS
The Best Place To Eat

DR. M. S. DERANKOU
OPTOMETRIST
Graduate and Registered
Second Floor of
LEINWEBER BUILDING
Office Days: Thursday, Friday and Saturday
Eyes Scientifically Examined and Glasses Fitted
Office is equipped with the latest scientific instruments for eye examination

Let's take a LOOK at the RECORDS
The Story of ELECTRICITY
I Rates have been continually lowered throughout the years.
II Service has expanded and improved, and benefits have greatly increased.
III Household work has largely been eliminated and American labor sweats less and earns more than any other.

BUY ALL THE DEFENSE BONDS AND STAMPS THAT YOU CAN POSSIBLY AFFORD.

South Texas Department
San Antonio PUBLIC SERVICE Company

:-: D'Hanis Doings :-:

A round-up of Local, Personal and Business Items gathered weekly by our regular Correspondent

Miss Josie Rothe

to whom all items intended for this column should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Rothe is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

D'HANIS, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, MAY 20, 1942

Sister Mary Margaret of Santa Rosa Hospital, San Antonio, spent Mother's Day in the ranch home of her mother, Mrs. Emma Rothe.

Mr. Charles Ney Rieber and little son, Ney, arrived Sunday from Murfreesboro, Tenn., and are guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rieber. Mrs. Rieber, who is visiting relatives in Washington, D. C., will join them here later.

Miss Melverda Poerner has come home from San Antonio and is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Poerner. Her guest last Sunday was Miss Ethel Lutz of San Antonio, who was here for the Baccalaureate service. Their cousin, Miss Inell Poerner, is a member of the graduating class of D'Hanis High School.

Oliver Reinhart Jr. is at home for a brief vacation before re-entering A. and M. College in June for his senior year.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Glasscock and son have returned from a trip to Miami, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed J. Keller, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Koch, and Mr. Ted Keller attended the funeral of August Keller at LaCoste last Thursday. Elmer Keller of San Antonio spent Wednesday and Thursday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed J. Keller.

Sister M. Amabilis of Our Lady of the Lake College, San Antonio, visited her mother, Mrs. J. W. L. Hanley, one day last week.

Joe Henry Biry, who has completed his freshman year at Texas A. and M. College, came home Saturday for a vacation.

D'HANIS BOYS IN THE SERVICE

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rieber have received word from their son, Pvt. Tommy Rieber, telling them of his arrival in Australia after an uneventful voyage of 16 days. As far as we know, he is the first D'Hanis boy to be sent to that continent.

No news of Norman Ernst has been received here since last December. His last letter was mailed in Manila, Philippine Islands, on Thanksgiving Day to his mother, Mrs. Della Ernst of San Antonio. She has the sympathy of her friends here, who hope she will soon have good news about him.

A former D'Hanis boy, 1st Sgt. Orson Sechrist Jr., who has been stationed at Luke Field, Ariz., for the past eleven months, is now in Miami, Fla., attending an officers' training school. He recently spent a 16-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Sechrist of Rockford, Ohio.

Pvt. Hilmar J. Koch, having completed a course in engineering, received a surveyor's certificate last Saturday at the engineers' school of Fort Belvoir, Virginia. He was planning to spend a three-day furlough in New York City with a California buddy.

SENIOR CLASS PLAY

"Aunt Minnie From Minnesota" with Inell Poerner in the title role was presented in the High School Auditorium last Friday evening, May 15. The three-act comedy, directed by Miss Carrie Langfeld, was a complete success. Following is the cast: Inell Poerner, Marie Weyand, James Wolff, Lawrence Huser, Evelyn Lutz, Vivian Biry, Geneva Rieber, Verda Fay Slater, Gladys Weyand, Louis Schmidli, Miles Weyand, and Joseph Dubray.

BACCALAUREATE

Baccalaureate services for the graduating class of 1942 of D'Hanis High School were held in the School Auditorium at 11 o'clock Sunday morning, May 17. Lavender and white larkspurs and sweet peas formed huge bouquets and carried out the class colors. Potted ferns were placed along the aisle and on the stage.

The members of the class entered singly, wearing blue mortarboards and gowns, the school colors, purple and gold, appearing in the tassels on the caps.

The High-School mixed choir sang the anthems, "Come, Thou Almighty King," and "Prayer of Patriotism." Adeline Wolff played Kroeger's "The Daisy" on the piano.

Reverend Eugen Zuber, pastor of Holy Cross Catholic Church, gave the invocation and benediction, and read the Scripture for the day. His sermon was based on the fourth verse from the fourth chapter of St. Matthew: "Not in bread alone doth man live, but in every word that proceedeth from the mouth of God." He interpreted this to show the necessity for religion in every man's life. In the modern world, as a departure from Christianity has led to totalitarianism, so a spirit of religion can help save our democracy, for the constitutional rights of American citizens are the same as the rights commanded by God on Mount Sinai. Drawing from his great store of historical knowledge, Father Zuber showed how in other struggles similar to ours of the present time, tyrants had fallen and right had prevailed.

The service was concluded with the recessional march.

BRIDGE CLUB

home of Mrs. A. J. Finger for an afternoon of bridge last Thursday afternoon. War stamps were awarded Mrs. Chas. Langfeld for high and Miss Cornelia Koch for second high. Mrs. Martin Ney received the guest prize. Delicious ice cream and wafers were served. Others present were Mesdames Ben Koch, Herman Ney, Eric Rothe, Hy. Biry, John Rieber, Ed Finger, Ed Koch, John Zinsmeyer, Louis Carle Jr., Don Scott, Lawrence Carle, and Arnold Zerr.

SENIORS COMPLIMENTED

On Thursday night, May 14, Miss Bertha Koch complimented the Seniors of St. Anthony's High with a party given in their honor at her home.

Various games played both indoors and out-doors were enjoyed by all. Prizes of Defense Stamps were awarded to Elizabeth Neher, Edward Koch, Mary Linda Finger, and Joe William Rothe.

Red carnations, and blue and white delphiniums formed in the shape of a "V" centered the table. Miniature blue and white airplanes with the class motto—Through Trials to Triumph—inscribed on the wings and soldiers carrying U. S. flags placed in three "V's" completed the table.

Red roses—the class flower—were also used in decorating the party rooms.

Refreshments consisting of chicken salad, saltines, and cake squares iced in white with red "V's", and iced tea were served to the honorees, Ruth Huser, Mary Ann Finger, Edward Koch, Bernard Zinsmeyer, and James Richter and to the other members of the high school.

A WEEK OF THE WAR

Continued from Page 1
tion said the general ceiling on retail prices, now in effect, is expected to cut the cost of living by 1 1/2 percent. The Labor Department reported that by mid-April, families of wage earners and lower-salaried workers had to spend \$1.17 to buy the same things for which they spent \$1 before August 1939.

Price Administrator Henderson said the American standard of living will be reduced to the depression-bottom level by the end of 1943. Civilian purchasing power will be about three times the 1932 figure while available consumer goods will decrease 24 percent during 1942. To aid the anti-inflation program, representatives of the 550,000 shipyard workers in the nation's private shipyards agreed to relinquish approximately \$80 million in wage increases, the WPB reported.

Rationing

The OPA announced gasoline card rationing in Oregon and Washington will begin June 1 and continue until July 1, when a coupon rationing plan will be placed in effect. The WPB restricted deliveries of fuel oil and gasoline to the two West Coast States to 50 percent of normal deliveries, effective immediately for oil and June 1 for gasoline. Petroleum Coordinator Ickes said there is no immediate need of curtailing deliveries of Petroleum products elsewhere in the country. The OPA removed the 50-mile zone west of the East Coast rationing area where motorists from the rationed area were to have been required to present cards for gasoline.

Local ration boards will be directed to open their records to public inspection as soon as practicable, the OPA announced. The Agency also said gasoline dealers will be responsible for checking ration cards to determine whether they have enough units to cover purchases, to see that the descriptions on them apply to the cars for which they are presented, and to destroy or mark used ration cards unusable. Commerce Secretary Jones announced the Reconstruction Finance Corporation will make \$150 million available for purchase of tires held by consumers. The OPA authorized manufacturers to ship adults' bicycles to distributors, and said it will begin bicycle rationing in about three weeks.

Civilian Supply

The WPB notified stove manufacturers whose sales for the year ended June 30, 1941, totaled more than \$2 million, as well as those in any of 39 "labor shortage areas," that they cannot produce domestic cooking and heating stoves after July 31. Manufacturers authorized to produce stoves were limited to certain approved types and to mottly iron and steel use of 70 percent of the average they used in the year ended June 30, 1941. New installations of air conditioning and commercial refrigeration equipment were banned, except for war and essential civilian requirements. Anti-freeze production was limited to 50 percent of 1941 output. Manufacture of colored sheets must cease July 1.

The Office for Emergency Management said an average of 3 1/2 percent of all American motorists are wearing irreplaceable rubber from their tires each month. To date about 5 percent of U. S. automobiles are laid up for lack of tires, OPM reported. The office also said that of the 28 million passenger

12 to 15 months unless car pooling can be made effective in a nationwide scale. The WPB said the wholehearted response of the American people to the wastepaper salvage campaign has brought an unusual surplus of the material. The Board asked continued collection, however to meet large requirements for the manufacture of paper-board containers.

Eastern Military Area

Eastern Defense Commander Drum proclaimed all East Coast States from Maine to Florida to be the Eastern Military Area—primarily to enforce effectively the dimout restrictions to safeguard shipping. The proclamation said the protection of United Nations commerce from enemy attack involved the effective control of artificial lighting along the Atlantic and Gulf Coasts and for a "reasonable distance inland."

The Armed Forces

President Roosevelt said American forces are getting into the world fight more and more, and in new places all the time. He said the increasing far flung calls for increasing numbers of transport planes to enable the Army and Navy to get to the rapidly expanding battlefronts. The War Department said a substantial proportion of available flight equipment of domestic airlines will be transferred outright to the Army Air Forces. The airlines will also convert approximately 70 ships into cargo carriers which they will operate for the Air Service Command. The House passed and sent to conference a bill increasing the monthly pay of enlisted men in the armed forces. The House-approved bill would increase the pay of Privates and Apprentices Seamen from \$21 to \$50 a month; the Senate-approved bill provides an increase to \$42.

War Secretary Stimson said Army Field Maneuvers will be held from the last week in May through the first week in November in the South and Southwest. The Army said 1,500 volunteer officers candidates will be accepted each month under its plan to enroll Class 3-A registrants for training in Officer Candidate Schools, with allotments for each area based on the number of such registrants in the area. SS Director Hershey said the U. S. may have 16 million men under arms by late 1943 or by 1944. He said men inducted through Selective Service after June 15 will be granted 14 days for concluding personal affairs before being assigned to active duty. Transportation and meals incidental to induction procedures will be at Government expense, he said.

Women's Army Auxiliary Corps

Congress authorized establishment of the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps to the limit of 150,000 members, and the President directed Secretary Stimson to limit initial mobilization to 25,000. Mrs. William P. Hobby of the Army Bureau of Public Relations was named WAAC Director. Mrs. Hobby said WAAC members will be assigned 62 different kinds of jobs and will replace enlisted men who are now performing noncombatant duties. The first class of 450 officer candidates will be trained at Fort Des Moines, Iowa.

DEVINE NEWSLETS

The Devine News. LIEUTENANT BRISCOE IS NOW CAPTAIN.

News has reached the family here that Lieut. Joe E. Briscoe, stationed with the U. S. army in Hawaii, has been promoted to a "Captain in the Army." His friends here congratulate him.

Col. Kinzie B. Edmunds, District Army Recruiting Officer at San Antonio announced this week that Elton L. Huegele of Devine had enlisted in the Army for general duty.

YANCEY

Services on Mothers day were fairly well attended at the Methodist Church Sunday. Rev. Hornung brought a good message.

The district meeting of Women in Christian service will convene at M. E. Church on Thursday of this week. Delegates and visitors from the various churches in the district are expected to be in attendance.

Misses Mildred and Helen Wiemers who were both teaching in Atascosa County have come home for the summer.

Misses Mary Jane McLaugherty, Amy Melton of San Marcos and Seguin, were at home for Mother's Day; also John McAnelly, Rubin Fasel, John Robert and Willard Wilson, all attended services at the Methodist church.

Mrs. W. E. Melton had as her guest over the weekend Mrs. Chesher of Seguin, a relative of the Mofield family who formerly lived here.

Miss Anna Wiemers of San Antonio has been here for several days visiting. Also attended Sunday services.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Bohmfalk moved to Hondo last week where he has employment.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. McAnelly are on a trip to Arizona visiting their daughter Pauline and husband, Mr. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Berry and two children of Kerrville spent the weekend with their parents.

Mr. John Fasel and family attended church at Hondo Sunday, where the children of Mr. Milton Fohn received their first communion.

Mr. Thayer and children of Houston visited parents, Mr. and Mrs. Senne, last week.

Mr. Hill who is now stationed at Kelly Field visited his family over the week end.

San Antonio.

Mr. Ray Ward is out at his farm having sold out his interest at Freer and is no longer employed by the Magnolia Refining Co., also Marvin Bohmfalk and family are out of employment with the oil company at Freer and are at present with folks here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bodeman of San Antonio, were out Sunday. Their home in Yancey is still dear to them.

The Junior-Senior banquet at the school house one evening last week was very much enjoyed by all who took part in same.

BIRY

Mr. Walter Burrell and Mr. Louis Enderle of San Antonio spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Burrell.

Mr. and Mrs. John Watson had as their week-end guests Mr. and Mrs. Jim Morris of San Marcos and Mr. A. A. Shoemaker and Ernest Ruston of Somerset.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bader and son of Alice are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bader.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Owen accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Ham Love and daughter from Yancey over to Big Foot where they visited Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Saathoff of Dunlay spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Burrell.

Lieut. J. W. Roberson and son of San Antonio visited here Sunday.

Chas. Russell Schmidt and Miss McCandide of Galveston spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Schmidt.

Raymond Bendele visited his wife Saturday at Castroville, where she is in the hospital for a few days.

Overton Schmidt, Jr., spent a few days at Carlsbad, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bader spent Sunday with her mother in San Antonio.

FRUIT MARCH ON IN MEDINA COUNTY

Agnes Echtle, Orchard Demonstrator for the 4-H Club of LaCoste, has her orchard well on its way to contributing to her family's fruit needs. She has 26 peach trees, 33 plum trees, 1 pear, 2 apricot, 2 persimmons, 2 Japanese dates, 70 grapes, 8 walnuts and 53 grafted pecans.

She and her parents have so planned their orchard that the ripening dates start early and end just as late as possible. They have enough trees of each variety that there is enough fruit for immediate needs, as well as for preservation to take care of non-productive months.

She, her family, and her own LaCoste 4-H Club, her county and nation have something to be proud of when they view this accomplishment and realize its meaning in National defense.

WESTERN AUTO'S 6th ANNUAL BIG BASS CONTEST GETS UNDER WAY

An added incentive to fishermen to go after the "big ones" this year is the Sixth Annual Big Bass Contest sponsored by Western Auto Supply Co. Prizes totaling \$4500 in list value will be awarded to lucky anglers throughout the country. The contest, well-known among veteran fishermen, is open to all—men, women, boys and girls—in the 38 states in which a Western Auto Store or Western Auto Associate Store is located.

All first prize winners in each of the 38 states will receive fishing tackle with a list value of \$40; second prize will be tackle with a list value of \$30; third prize, tackle valued at \$25; fourth prize, \$15 value and fifth prize, \$12 value. In addition to these fishing tackle prizes an attractive trophy cup will be awarded to the fisherman registering the largest Small Mouth Bass in each state, whether it is a regular prize winner or not.

Free entry blanks with complete instructions are available at any Western Auto Store or Western Auto Associate Store. The contest is free and open to all; there are no obligations or purchases necessary. Registration blanks, obtainable now, should be carried in tackle boxes so that they will be convenient when prize-winning catches are made.

Official opening date of the contest is May 15 (subject to local or state laws). Entries are eligible from that date until September 30, when the contest closes. All entries must be sworn to before a Notary Public or verified by a Western Auto Store manager or Western Auto Associate Store owner.

To eliminate any natural advantages one state would have over another in a nation-wide contest, Western Auto is giving a separate set of awards in each of the 38 states. In this way the fish caught in any state are competing only with other fish caught in the same state. This gives all contestants an equal chance of winning one of the valuable prizes.

Last year's contest ended in a tie for the largest bass caught—14 lbs., 2 oz., one having been caught in Florida, the other in Georgia. The smallest—but still a prize winner in its state—was a 2 lb. bass caught in Vermont. The total weight of prize-winning bass entered in the contest amounted to 1368 lbs.; the average weight was 7 lbs. per fish.

The score on some of the better-known lures used in the 1941 contest was:

Heddon River Runt 13 winners
Jitterbug 10 winners
South Bend Bass Oreno 10 winners
Heddon Crazy Crawler 9 winners
Hawaiian Wiggler 5 winners

A survey of the lines used by prize-winners showed that Newton Lines brought in 10 winners; South Bend, 25; Ashaway, 29; and Western Auto lines, 34. Among all lines listed, Nylon accounted for 35 prize

:-: Castroville Cullings :-:

LOCAL, PERSONAL AND BUSINESS ITEMS FROM THIS BUSY BURG

ISABELL KARM, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News and advertising copy for this column for the week's issue should be submitted to Miss Karm or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Tuesday night of each week. Miss Karm is authorized to collect and receipt for any business for this paper.

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, TUESDAY, MAY 19, 1942

ST. LOUIS YOUTHS MEET

The St. Louis Youth Organization opened their meeting with prayer by Father Lenzen. The minutes were read and were approved by the members. A report was given by the treasurer.

The president then appointed Melba and Virginia Wurzbach to read and give discussion on "This War Against the Soul of Humanity." The club members volunteered to help collect money for the U. S. O.

Our spiritual advisor announced that there will be a vocational school in August and C. Y. O. members should see if there are any Catholic children in need of such education.

All members were asked to go to Holy Communion Thursday because the eight o'clock mass was a High Mass for all boys in service from our parish which was ordered by the C. Y. O.

Ira Tschirhart chose "Mothers

SPRING'S REFRAIN

Saw I now a Spring more fair,
Like a bath beauty's hair,
Swans upon the river dive
All the world's awake, alive.

All of nature's song is glad
Yet our hearts are hurt and sad,
Season's brightness does not tend
To stamp the hatred hearts of men.

Let us sing love's sweet refrain
Ere we may not sing again.
Oh, that only Spring could stay
To take the world's strife away.

—ANNA GROSE.

LEGEND OF A SHAMROCK

A Fairy, so dainty and fine
Touched her foot in the brown earth.
She left her imprint to incline
That would give a Shamrock birth.
I strolled through the scented wood
And saw a four-leaf shamrock.
The flowers upon my snood
Were kept for lover's lock.
My window's are "Wearin' O' the Green"

As you pass there is a smile.
A symbol of the trinity is seen
For the Shamrock hails, Emerald Isle.

—GENEVA PEARL DRISKILL.

SOMEDAY I'LL BE A "RANCHERETTE"

Someday I'll be a "rancherette"
And evening gowns I shall forget
I'll don a pair of overalls
And spend my time in horses' stalls
I'll scrub their coats until they shine
But please don't stop to look at mine.
I'll ride them round for exercise,
I mean for them... I'll compromise,
For all of us... I'll proudly show
Them at the downtown county fair
And glow and glow
When they win highest honors there.
Oh, I can hardly wait to set
Up myself as a "rancherette."

—RUBY DIEHR.

ONE & TWO

Jesus knew
And tried to tell you
The only lessons true
Only heard by few
But you must learn them too
Commands one and two
Although they are not new
In them you find the clue
Of all you have to do.

—EDITH ANISFIELD WOLF.

CUT ALL POSSIBLE COSTS

Victor Schoffelmayer, agricultural editor of the Dallas News, does not believe that Texas can compete with the Southeast in large yields per acre. Nevertheless, he feels that "there is a place in the Southwest for large-scale cotton farming, where level homogeneous land can be farmed on the plantation system under supervision in large enough units to assure profit. Everything must be done to cut the cost of raising cotton if we are to keep our share of the world market by meeting the cost of production in foreign lands."—The Progressive Farmer.

Ask your neighbor to subscribe for his home paper.

Day" as his topic to report on our next meeting. Clovis Schaefer will give a talk. Saus will enter next.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned with prayer. A delicious lunch consisting of combination sandwiches, fruit, iced tea with mint was served on lawn to every one present.

After everyone had finished, entertainment committee to charge. There were two volleyball courts marked off on the lawn. Tony Stein, Ernest Schuchart, Mary Tondre and Melba Ward were appointed captains. After several games the prize awarded to Alton Stein's team. Everyone having enjoyed themselves they departed looking forward to next meeting which will be June 1.

Those on the committee were: Patricia Suchs, Rose Marie Tondre, Frances Biry, Doris Tondre, Betty Tschirhart, Betty Burrell and Al Tondre.

A'NT CA'LINE'S OBSERVASH



By Emma Allen Bailey

When de Missis tole de bout Mister Spurt givine fuh tuh married soon he 'low "Good fuh him, Ise been wishin' he'd wid bad luck."

RAYE

THE RAYE PRESENTS—

"DEATH VALLEY OUTLAW"—Friday and Saturday, new film starring Don "Red" Barry with action, gun-play and thrills plenty. Lynn Merrick and cast are included.
"KATHLEEN"—Sunday, Monday, drama-romance with Shirley Temple, two years older turning to the screen in the role of a girl who fights for her love. The cast is composed of: Robert Marshall, Laraine Day, Patrick, Felix Bressart, Lloyd Gan and Nella Walker.

"THEY DIED WITH THEIR BOOTS ON"—Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, historical and drama of a daring soldier—George Custer—from the time he entered West Point to the fatal Big Horn where he gave his head a cast composed of Gene Hart, Regis Toomey, Stanley Bly and Arthur Kennedy.

HOMESITE FOR SALE

One of the prettiest homesites in the Los Angeles Heights Addition to San Antonio, being lots 12 and 13 of the Southeast corner block 144. On graded street and block from paved street and city school.

HONDO LAND COMPANY

Annual production of brown is worth \$20,000,000 according to the Bureau of the Census, 473,000,000 pounds of brown refined.

GRADUATES!

Keep These Proud Moments Forever With Photographs!

For your own future reference... for gifts to fond relatives and friends... have your photographs made in your cap and gown.

Caps and Gowns Furnished Free!

STUDER'S STUDIO

Next the Aztec Theater.

Open Nights Until 8 P. M.

No Appointments Necessary!

STUDER PHOTO COMPANY

402 San Pedro 110 N. St. Mary's San Antonio, Texas (Studios also in Austin, Texas)

SPECIAL OFFER! One 8x10 Royal Kashmir Photograph and three 4x6 Auto-grams for \$5.00

4 PORTRAITS...